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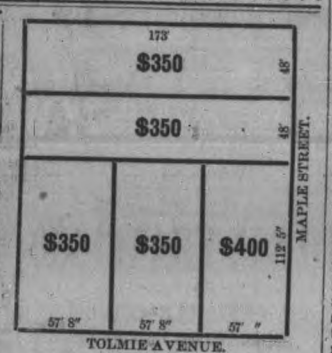


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## THE REBELS GAIN GROUND.

Things Look Bad for the Venezuela Government---Numbers of Men Desert.

Polynesian Natives Who Object to the French Annexing Their Islands.

Big Land Purchase---The Republican Chairmanship---An Insane Evangelist.

NEW YORK, May 11.—A Herald special cablegram from Barcelona, Venezuela, says: The situation in Venezuela is not materially changed since my last cablegram. Desertions continue from the government army. The deserters are principally peasants and laborers recently conscripted. Several skirmishes havt taken place between the advance posts of the revolutionists and the government forces, but there has been no important fighting reported since the battle at Palito, in which the troops sent out from Puetro Cabello by General Palacios were defeated at Laguayra and Puerto. All is quiet at present and there is no longer any difficulty in discharging or loading cargoes. The normal condition of affairs is largely restored. No definite news has been received from the seat of the revolution. It is generally supposed, however, that the cause of the rebellion is progressing favorably. It is very likely that the next big battle will be fought at La Victoria. The revolutionists surround that town on all sides, preventing communication between it and Caracas. Palacio's troops cannot render any aid to the besieged town. Crespo's men occupy all the commanding heights around La Victoria. The lull now existing cannot last long. Crespo continues to receive arms and ammunition. When a full supply shall have been landed he will assume the offensive. Now he has been content to maintain his position around Valencia and La Victoria.

**Natives Rise Against the French.**

SAN FRANCISCO, May 11.—The brig Galilee has arrived with news of an uprising of natives on the Leeward Islands, growing out of the change from an independent national government to French rule. Three French war vessels, the Durance, Pourvoir and Duc Affent, were sent to the scene of the trouble. One of the passengers who came upon the Galilee gave an account of the uprising. "The whole trouble," he said, "came about through trying to change or annul the treaty of 1847, between France and England, by which the three Leeward Islands of Raiatea, Huahine and Borbora were allowed independent government. Now a big change has been inaugurated. France has given over to the English government the islands of New Hebrides used for a penal colony, and in exchange the Leeward Islands were to be put under French government. The change is a beneficial one for the natives, but they have for so long a time enjoyed full independence that they hate to feel the restriction that any flag puts upon them. On the Islands of Huahine and Borbora the natives at first rebelled, but later on gave in to the government when informed by the British Consul at Tahiti that such a change was authorized. The natives at Raiatea, however, resisted. They armed themselves and prepared for a fight. The entire population of the island numbers 1000. To quell this disturbance three French war vessels were sent to Raiatea. Peaceable means were to be used, if possible, to gain a settlement of the trouble." No further information reached Tahiti previous to the sailing of the Galilee.

**A Peculiar Case.**

BALTIMORE, May 11.—Mary E. McComas, a colored woman, died at the city hospital to-day. Her avordupois had increased in a remarkable way since her admission two weeks ago. She then weighed 250 pounds, but soon commenced to grow abnormally fat. In two weeks she gained 150 pounds, and weighed 400 pounds when she died. Her heart was as large as a man's hat. Her entire body was covered with a layer of fat five inches thick. She died from a peculiar form of dropsy.

**Large Land Purchase.**

NEW YORK, May 11.—A Sun special from Santa Fe, New Mexico, says:—A. H. Patterson, of Fort Collins, Colorado, to-day paid Thomas B. Cartrow, of this city, $310,000 for 100,000 acres of southern Colorado land. The land consists of that part of the Tierra Amarilla grant which extends over the New Mexico line into Colorado, lies between Chetm and Cheede. It is understood that the purchase was made for a Denver syndicate which will develop the petroleum and lumber on this tract.

**Ingalls For Chairman.**

NEW YORK, May 11.—The Press Washington special says:—It is the belief here that ex-U.S. Senator John J. Ingalls, of Kansas, will be chosen permanent chairman of the Republican National Convention at Minnenpolis next month, although Senator Cullom, J. Sloane Fassett, Gov. McKinley, ex-Speaker Graw, and other well known parliamentarians are mentioned for the place. Mr. Ingalls is one of the most accomplished presiding officers in the country.

**The Japanese Minister.**

SAN FRANCISCO, May 11. — Frank Coombes, of Napa, recently appointed U.S. Minister to Japan, sailed for his post on the steamer Blegic this afternoon.

**International Matters.**

WASHINGTON, May 11.—In the Senate Mr. Sherman, chairman of the Committee on Foreign relations, introduced two amendments, which he said he intended to offer to the Diplomatic and Consular Bill, one restoring the appropriation for the Bureau of American Republics to the full amount, and the other restoring the appropriation for the International Continental Survey, stricken out by the House.

## PRINCESS MAY.

The Lady Who is Expected to be Married to Prince George of Wales.

Rumors to the effect that Prince George of Wales and the Princess Victoria Mary of Teck are affianced, and

that their betrothal will shortly be announced publicly, have gained general credence. There seems to be no reason to doubt their correctness. The Princess May, as she is usually called, is regarded with affection by the people as well as by all her royal relations, the feeling being deepened by the general sympathy aroused by the death of the Duke of Clarence. Prince George is equally popular, and the formal announcement of the betrothal will evidently be read with warm approval.

## TERRIBLE MINE DISASTER.

An Explosion in the Roslyn, W., Colliery Kills Forty Miners.

ROSLYN, Wn., May 10.—At 1:45 o'clock this afternoon a most terrible gas explosion occurred in the slope of Mine No. 2, of the North Pacific Coal Company, at this point, in which the loss of life exceeded in number that of any other disaster that has ever been chronicled in the Northwest or on the Pacific slope. The exact nature of the explosion or the circumstances that led to it will probably never be known, since at this writing it is believed that every miner who was at work in the slope at the time has perished. It is not definitely known as to the number of men who were in the vicinity of the disaster, but it is believed that between 45 and 50 men were on the three levels that were affected by the explosion. Large relief forces are at work, and at this time two bodies have been recovered. These men were working nearest the opening, and at some distance from the point where it is supposed the explosion occurred. Most of the men were 1300 and 2000 feet farther in the slope, and in the immediate vicinity of the accident. There is no doubt, either in the minds of the miners or of the company's officials, but that every man was instantly killed by the explosion.

## THE CANADIAN PACIFIC

Annual Report of the Directors---A Satisfactory Showing.

MONTREAL, May 11.—The eleventh annual report of the directors of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company was submitted at the annual meeting of the shareholders held here to-day. The gross earnings for the year were $20,241,095.98, the working expenses were $12,231,436.11, and the net earnings were $8,009,659.87. Deducting the fixed charges accruing during the year, $4,664,493.45, the surplus was $3,345,166.42. From this two supplementary dividends of 1 per cent. each were made and paid on August 17th, 1891, and February 17th, 1892, amounting to $1,300,000, leaving a surplus carried forward of $2,045,166.42. The surplus of the previous year was $2,656,422.83. Total surplus carried forward, $4,701,590.25. The working expenses for the year amounted to 69.43 per cent. of the gross earnings, and the net earnings to 29.57 per cent., as compared with 61.94 and 38.06 per cent. respectively in 1890. The earnings per passenger per mile were 1.70 cents, and per ton of freight per mile, 0.91 cents respectively, in 1890. The earnings and working expenses of the South Eastern Railway, which is worked by the company for the account of the trustees, are not included, nor are the earnings and working expenses of the Qu'Appelle, Long Lake & Saskatchewan and Calgary & Edmonton railways included. The last harvest in Ontario and Manitoba was an abundant one, but in Manitoba it was followed by a long period of wet weather, which impaired the quality of much of the grain and delayed its marketing. A large quantity of grain yet remains in the hands of the farmers in Manitoba, as well as in Ontario, and the outlook for traffic for the present year is good.

**Speculation on Margin**

PHILADELPHIA, May 11. — Judge Mitchell, of the Supreme Court, has rendered a decision holding that the purchase of stocks on margin is not necessarily a gambling transaction. If the actual delivery of the article purchased is in contemplation it made no difference whether the broker or some one else furnished the money to carry a deal. It was only when no delivery was contemplated in any event that the transaction became gambling.

**An Iowa Cave-in**

MINNEAPOLIS, May 11.—The site of the old Folker brewery in West Dubuque, Iowa, began sinking last night, and the land in the vicinity continues to sink.

Get prices from Victoria Lithograph Company for lithograph work before placing your orders.

## SAVAGE RUSSIAN RIOTERS.

Strikers Committing Outrages---Employers and Jews Killed or Maltreated.

English Business Men on the Silver Question---Bi-Metallic Conference.

Emperor William's New Freak---Fighting in East Africa---The Sultan's Illness.

ST. PETERSBURG, May 11.—A dispatch from Lodtz, where 30,000 strikers have been rioting, says hundreds of the rioters have been arrested and taken to Warsaw under military escort. The town continues in a state of siege. Additional details show a terrible state of affairs at Lodtz. The strikers, besides looting and demoralizing valuable property, set fire to buildings. The united forces of military and police are powerless against the mobs and unable to prevent them from doing violence to the manufacturers, the book-keepers employed in the factories and the Jewish residents. The Jews are mercilessly felled and stabbed by the desperate rioters. Ten of them were killed outright and 100 were badly injured. The bloodthirsty ferocity displayed by the strikers in their attacks on those who had incurred their enmity was awful. The rioters, not content with murdering them, mutilated the corpses in a horrible manner. Cossacks and other soldiers sent to Lodtz to quell the disturbances appeared to take delight in the scenes of blood visible on every hand. They took no trouble to avert the fate of the assailed Jews. The newspapers do not contain a word in reference to the riots on account of the strict press censorship. The Cossacks wield knouts with iron balls attached, and in suppressing disorders they are causing bloodshed everywhere with the formidable weapon. General Gourko, governor of Warsaw, has wired orders to the soldiers to take the most stringent measures to put an end to acts of lawlessness, and to one of his messages adds this significant sentence: "Do not spare your cartridges."

**England and the Silver Question.**

LONDON, May 11.—England has accepted the invitation of the United States to a bi-metallic conference.

The Marquis of Salisbury, the Chancellor of the Exchequer and the First Lord of the Treasury to-day received a deputation representing the various chambers of commerce, agriculture, labor organizations, leading manufacturing industries and representatives of the financial and commercial interests of the City of London. One object of the deputation was to urge on the Government the necessity of promoting an international agreement amongst the chief commercial nations to open their minds to the unrestricted coinage of gold and silver at a common ratio. The deputation emphasized the losses and embarrassments to date caused by the violent fluctuations and great uncertainty in exchange of silver in the country.

**A Steamer in Trouble.**

LONDON, May 11.—News has been received of a disaster to the French steamer Loire Inferieure, in the South Pacific. The steamer ran ashore on Cook's Reef, and was there nine days. The crew threw overboard 300 tons of cargo, and the vessel was towed to Thursday Island in a badly damaged condition.

**Emperor William's Latest.**

BERLIN, May 11.—At yesterday's inspection of the guards the Emperor called from the ranks and before the whole regiment complimented and shook hands with a sentry who recently shot two men, one of the men being killed. The incident caused a most unfavorable impression.

**Fighting in Africa.**

ZANZIBAR, May 11.—The forces of the British East Africa Company, under command of Capt. Nelson, had an engagement with the Mauurities near Teita, and the natives were defeated after losing many killed. The British forces recaptured a number of slave caravans.

**To Oppose Mr. Chamberlain.**

LONDON, May 11.—Tom Mann, the well known labor leader, will at the coming general election contest the seat in the House of Commons for West Birmingham, now held by the Right Hon. Joseph Chamberlain.

**The Sultan Ill.**

BERLIN, May 11.—Private telegrams from Constantinople say the Grand Vizier has notified the Sultan's relatives that the Sultan is suffering from a serious nervous illness, and it is impossible to conceal the truth longer.

**Cholera in Cabul.**

CABUL, Afghanstan May 11.—Cholera is epidemic in this city. The Ameer has withdrawn to a camp outside of the walls.

**Greenock Sugar Refinery Burned.**

LONDON, May 11.—The Orchard sugar refinery at Greenock, Scotland, was destroyed by fire last night. Loss £30,000.

**Concession to the Jews.**

ST. PETERSBURG, May 11.—The Imperial Council has decided to admit Jews to the municipal franchises.

**Billy the Kid.**

CINCINNATI, May 11.—The man arrested in Mt. Sterling, Ky., a few days ago for attempting to rob a bank there while clerks were watching a circus parade, has been identified by a Cincinnati detective as Billy Burke, alias "Billy the Kid," and the woman who was with him, and who said she was his wife, as Sophia Lons, a famous cracksman. Burke had $45,000 in bills in his hands when discovered and nabbed.

## VANCOUVER NEWS.

A Two Days' Celebration of Dominion Day Decided Upon.

VANCOUVER, May 11.—At the committee meeting last night, it was decided to hold a two days' celebration—a musical festival on Friday morning, lacrosse in the afternoon, illumination and ball at night, regatta on Saturday forenoon and athletic sports in the afternoon. H. M. ships and American gunboats will be invited to attend.

Mr. G. A. Charnock, secretary of the Y.M.C.A., has resigned.

At the school board meeting last night a letter, enclosing a resolution passed by the W.C.T.U., was received from Miss Bowes, stating the duty the board owed to humanity and God to make the teaching of scientific temperance in the schools compulsory. The communication was promptly tabled.

## METHODIST CONFERENCE

Opened by a Private Session at Nanaimo on Monday.

NANAIMO, May 11.—A private session of the Methodist conference was opened yesterday morning in the Methodist church on Wallace street. Rev. J. J. Betts occupied the chair and Rev. J. H. White acted as secretary. Nearly the whole of the ministerial members of the conference were present. The business of the day was private, such as examinations as to ministerial character, reception of candidates for the ministry, advancing those already on probation, dealing with charges, if any, laid against ministers, and decisions upon all topics bearing upon the relations of ministers to the conference. There were about 25 ministers present. The stationing committee met last night and the first draft of stations will be submitted to the conference at to-day's session.

## NANAIMO NEWS.

The Council and the Trustees at Loggerheads ---Coal Ships, Etc.

NANAIMO, May 11.—The school trustees and the city council do not appear to work together harmoniously, and in consequence the council have given notice that they will not be responsible for any debts contracted by the trustees. The general opinion of the citizens is that the board of trustees should be principally composed of the aldermen. At present the council are without funds to carry on the street work, and in consequence the road laborers have been laid off.

Three sailors off the "Glory of the Seas" had a lively time down at one of the breweries on Saturday, and were charged by the proprietor with stealing the beer. The case was ventilated in the police court yesterday, and resulted in the men being fined and the proprietor being requested to appear before the court to-day on a charge of selling during the hours of prohibition. One of the sailors refused to pay the fine, declaring he was innocent, so his case will be heard to-day.

There are a large number of vessels in the harbor awaiting cargoes of New V. C. Co. coal, but so far nothing has been done by the company to increase their output. There are hundreds of miners here awaiting developments, but in spite of this fact many more are continuing to arrive and adding to the overcrowding surplus of labor. The coal trade is believed here to be improving, and many of the miners are anxiously looking forward to be started again.

## PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

Alex. Gillies, of Montreal, is in town.

Mrs. F. W. Hart, of Vancouver, is in town.

J. S. Stannard, of Nanaimo, came down yesterday.

J. H. Adams and D. C. Corbin, of Spokane, are in the city.

N. B. Gautrau, of New Westminster, is in the city on official business.

Gus Leiser and Henry Jewell returned from the Mainland last night.

Thos. Spence and wife leave for Enderby to-night, where they will reside.

Alex. Gillies, of Montreal, and Robt. J. Salisbury, of Toronto, two well known travellers, are at the Driard.

Mrs. J. C. McLagan, of Vancouver, is spending a couple of weeks in Victoria, the guest of her brother, Mr. Charlie McClure.

J. P. McLeod, ex-Principal of the High School, left for Portland, Ore., last night. Mr. McLeod hopes to remain permanently in that city.

P. H. Kershaw, of Tacoma, secretary of the Tacoma Electric Street Railway company, came over from Seattle last evening with his wife and son, and will spend a few days here.

W. H. Rowley, secretary-treasurer of the E. B. Eddy Co., Hull, Que., and Mrs. Rowley, are guests at the Dallas. Mr. R. is making a tour of the coast for the benefit of his health. The E. B. Eddy Manufacturing company is one of the largest in the Dominion, the making of paper being the latest addition to the numerous lines in which it was formerly engaged.

## WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

Steamer City of Kingston is back on her route, ready to handle the heavy summer trade.

H.M.S. Nymphe will reach Esquimalt Friday or Saturday from the Mexican coast. She was reported from San Francisco yesterday.

Steamer Maude loaded 200 tons of cement from the bark Ariadne, for Vancouver. She will bring back a load of machinery for the Marine Department.

## CANADIAN NOTES.

**News by Mail and Wire from all Parts of the Dominion.**

Linder's pickle factory at Hamilton has been burned. Loss $4000.

The rate of taxation in Kingston this year is 17½ mills on the dollar.

Campbell was elected first Mayor of Rat Portage by a vote of 209 to 104 over Rideout.

Frank Miller, a Hamilton tobacco roller, aged 45, was thrown from a vehicle and killed.

Nearly 1000 foreign immigrants arrived at Quebec on Monday. Most of them go to the Northwest.

The Ontario Canoe Company's factory at Peterboro' was burned with all its contents. Loss, $25,000.

A carefully prepared estimate places the losses of stock in Alberta ranches during the late storm at 4 per cent.

James Lane, a young Toronto barrister, was found dead in his lodgings. He had been suffering from influenza.

The three-year-old son of Wm. Carniss was run over and killed on the electric railway in North Toronto yesterday.

The special train carrying the British sailors for the China squadron passed through Winnipeg last evening on its way to Vancouver.

It has been learned that Lighthouse Keeper Targues, at Penoquet Island, below Quebec, was drowned on Saturday while crossing from the island to the mainland.

A cable from London states that all restrictions upon Canadian cattle have been removed in the United Kingdom. Some 2500 head are now on their way across the Atlantic.

The city treasurer of Toronto lately received a check for $5107, being 8 per cent. of $63,849, the street railway earnings for April. The total for the year to date paid to the city is $18,628.

It is asserted by the financiers in Quebec and Montreal that Mercier's liabilities reach $75,000, and that he is financially as well as politically ruined. It is understood that offers amounting to 50 cents on the dollar have been made.

At the end of last year there was a grand total of 1537 applicants for grants of land in Quebec province on the grounds of having twelve or more children. Of these 843 had their demands complied with, but there are now 231 new applicants.

The Globe yesterday published a further instalment of fac similies of the original documents by Sir Hector Langevin, and giving instructions to the Hon. Thomas McGreevy for the distribution of Conservative boodle in Quebec constituencies.

This is the most backwark spring in Quebec for a long time. In the Lake St. Joseph district many lakes are still covered with ice. Below Trois Pistoles, on the Intercolonial, there is much snow in the woods, and the winter roads in some places are still good enough to haul logs upon.

The Empire's Montreal correspondent says Hon. Mr. De Boucherville intends retiring from the Quebec premiership soon after the end of the present session. Premier De Boucherville, in an interview at Montreal, said the financial question was really the only difficult question before the Government.

The other night the citizens of Shelburne were aroused from their slumber by four burglars breaking into the stores of E. Berwick & Co. and Trewin & Son. They succeeded in breaking into the safe, but failed to get a sum of money that was in it. John Donkin, who pursued them, received a shot in the leg.

During the severe blizzard on the 27th, D. W. Grimmett's herd of cattle, numbering about seventy, strayed away. He found them next day about fifteen miles from home, but nine of them had succumbed to the storm and were found dead along the trail. The losers are John Coates three, Robert Ayres three, D. W. Grimmett, E. Webster and Thomas Turnbull each one.—Virden Advance.

A fierce snow storm on Lake Superior on Saturday did considerable damage to shipping. The Alberta had her steering gear disabled and will have to be towed to Owen Sound for repairs. The second mate, William Rixon, of Owen Sound, was blown overboard and drowned. The lost schooners Gaskin and Glenora are both found, the latter being totally disabled. The crews are safe.

At the court house at Dorchester, N. B., just after Judge Landry had pronounced a 3 years' sentence in the penitentiary on Martin Ricker for uttering a forged note, Ricker cried out that he was innocent and had been convicted on false evidence, and, drawing a razor slashed it across his throat. He then swallowed the contents of a bottle of ammonia, given him by his wife. The doctors used emetics and sewed up his throat, and he will recover.

A city clergyman the other day united a young couple in the bonds of matrimony. The bridegroom, putting something in the minister's hand, and shutting the hand upon it, said: "There, salt that down with your pile." The minister would not, of course, look at the bill before the happy young fellow; but when he got home he spread it out and found it was of the denomination of one dollar! Who says the humor has gone out of life?—Montreal Witness.

The investigation into the conspiracy charges against ex-premier Mercier, Hon. Charles Langelier and Ernest Pacaud was resumed at Quebec yesterday. All the accused were in the court with their lawyers. Some ten witnesses were waiting their turn in separate rooms. Among them were Chevalier Robitaille, president of the Caisse d'Economie, and Joseph Boivin, Assistant Provincial Secretary. The proceedings are still conducted with closed doors, guarded by policemen.

Mr. John Sutherland, town clerk of Cobourg, died at his residence there on May 2. Some 76 years ago Mr. Sutherland was born at Wick, Scotland. When a young man he worked at the trade of a cooper on the west coast of Ireland for several years. Mr. Sutherland first settled in Kingston, where he became well acquainted with the late Sir John A. Macdonald, the Hon. A. Mackenzie and the Hon. O. Mowat. He afterwards moved to Cobourg and engaged in the grocery business. He was elected mayor of Cobourg in 1875. While filling the office of chief magistrate an epidemic of smallpox broke out in the town. In those days no board of health existed, and dread of the contagion was so great that no citizen would venture near the unfortunate people who were stricken. Mr. Sutherland went to their relief, removed them to a place of isolation, and with his own hands buried the victims of the pestilence.

The officers and crew of the propeller "Celtic," which was sunk in collision with the propeller "Russia" on Lake Erie, had narrow escapes from watery graves, as the "Celtic" went down within eight minutes after the collision. They say that the reason that the cook, Mrs. Strachan, was not saved was because she returned to the cabin to save some of her clothing and valuables and the boat sank before she could return. It is not likely the "Celtic" can be raised, as she is lying in about 80 feet of water several miles from shore. The "Russia" had a big hole stove in her, and in order to save her it was found necessary to throw over about 1500 tons of her cargo of general merchandise. She was beached near the village of Rondeau, and can be got off without much trouble. Both propellers had all necessary signals displayed at the time the collision occured, but the fog was so dense that it was impossible to see any distance ahead.

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**An Evangelist Insane.**

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., May 11.—The Rev. John Smith, the evangelist, has become violently insane. On Monday he took strychnine to kill himself, but as he swallowed an overdose he did not die. Mr. Smith has been greatly worried of late by the misconduct of a wayward sister whom he has tried in vain to reform.

**Mr. S. G. Derry**

**Of Providence, R. I.,**

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*A Foul Mass of Sores,*

swollen and itching terribly, causing intense pain if the skin was broken by scratching, and discharging constantly. It is impossible to describe my suffering in those years of agony and torture. I spent

*Thousands of Dollars*

in futile efforts to get well, and was discouraged and ready to die. At this time I was unable to lie down in bed, had to sit up all the time, and was unable to walk without crutches. I had to hold my arms away from my body, and had to have my arms, back and legs bandaged by my faithful wife twice a day.

"Finally a friend who was visiting at our house, urged me to take Hood's Sarsaparilla. I began by taking half a teaspoonful. My

*Stomach Was All Out of Order*

But the medicine soon corrected this, and in six weeks I could see a change in the condition of the humor which nearly covered my body. It was driven to the surface by the Sarsaparilla, the sores soon healed, and the scales fell off. I was soon able to give up bandages and crutches, and a happy man I was. I had been taking Hood's Sarsaparilla for seven months; and since that time, nearly two years, I have worn no bandages whatever and my legs and arms are sound and well.

*The Delight*

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"PROMPT AND PERMANENT."

**RHEUMATISM.**—Jan. 17, 1883, GEO. C. OSGOOD & CO., Druggists, Lowell, Mass., U. S. A., wrote: "MR. LEWIS DENNIS, 136 Moody St, desires to say: "ORRIN ROBINSON, a boy of Graniteville, Mass., came to my house in 1881, walking on crutches; his leg was bent at the knee for two months. I gave him

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**TIME TABLE NO. 16.**

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Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

| SOUTH BOUND. READ UP. | No. 1 Passenger Daily. | No. 3 Passenger Friday, Sat. and Sun. | STATIONS. | Miles from Wellington. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | Ar. Dp. | Ar. Dp. | | |
| | 12:25 P M | 8:30 P M | VICTORIA | 78 |
| | 12:30 | 7:50 | RUSSELL'S | 77 |
| | 12:40 | 7:40 | ESQUIMALT | 75 |
| | 12:45 | 7:35 | GOLDSTREAM | 73 |
| | 12:55 | 7:25 | SUMMIT SIDING | 68 |
| | 1:10 | 7:00 | SHAWNIGAN LAKE | 65 |
| | 1:30 | 6:39 | COBBLE HILL | 61 |
| | 1:50 | 6:27 | MCKINNON'S | 57 |
| | 2:07 | 6:15 | DUNCANS | 53 |
| | 2:17 | 6:03 | SOMENOS | 49 |
| | 2:30 | 5:50 | CHEMAINUS | 43 |
| | 2:45 | 5:33 | OYSTER BAY SIDG | 38 |
| | 3:00 | 5:15 | NANAIMO | 29 |
| | 3:25 | 4:50 | WELLINGTON | 0 |
| | 3:30 P M | 4:30 P M | | |

| NORTH BOUND. READ DOWN. | No. 2 Passenger Daily. | No. 4 Passenger Friday, Sat. and Sun. | Miles from Victoria. |
|---|---|---|---|
| | Dp. Ar. | Dp. Ar. | |
| | 8:00 A M | 3:50 P M | 1 |
| | 8:05 | 3:55 | 11 |
| | 8:14 | 4:16 | 19 |
| | 8:30 | 4:36 | 25 |
| | 8:41 | 4:55 | 31 |
| | 8:57 | 5:27 | 41 |
| | 9:11 | 5:50 | 48 |
| | 9:41 | 6:30 | 58 |
| | 10:01 | 6:51 | 63 |
| | 10:23 | 7:12 | 68 |
| | 10:45 | 7:34 | 73 |
| | 11:00 | 7:50 | 78 |
| | 11:30 Ar. | 8:20 Ar. | |
| | 11:50 Dp. | 8:40 Dp. | |
| | 12:14 P M Ar. | 9:04 P M Ar. | |

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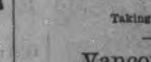

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VICTORIA ROUTE.

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10:15 a.m.....Lv Seattle Lv.....3:00 a.m.
1:30 p.m.....Lv Pt Towns'd Lv.....11:45 p.m.
4:30 p.m.....Ar Victoria Lv†.....8:30 p.m.

PORT TOWNSEND (MAIL) ROUTE.

11:00 p.m.....*Lv Seattle Ar.....3:00 p.m.
12:30 a.m.....Lv Pt Madison Lv.....2:10 p.m.
.....Lv Kingston Lv.....
3:00 a.m.....Lv Pt Gamble Lv.....11:00 a.m.
4:00 a.m.....Lv Pt Ludlow Lv.....10:00 a.m.
6:00 a.m.....Ar Pt Towns'd Lv†.....8:00 a.m.

SNOHOMISH RIVER ROUTE.

7:00 a.m.....*Lv Seattle Ar.....2:00 p.m.
8:45 a.m.....Lv Edmonds Lv.....12:30 p.m.
10:30 a.m.....Lv Muckilteo Lv.....10:45 a.m.
11:30 a.m.....Lv Everett Lv.....9:45 a.m.
12:00 m.....Lv Marysville Lv.....9:30 a.m.
2:00 p.m.....Lv Lowell Lv.....8:00 a.m.
3:00 p.m.....Ar Snohomish Lv*.....7:00 a.m.

*Daily except Sunday. †Daily except Saturday ‡Daily except Monday.

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For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.

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Steamships of this Co. will leave for Pt. Simpson and intermediate ports on the 1st and 15th of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

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## THE CELEBRATION.

**The Sinews of War---A Great Deal Yet to be Done.**

The TIMES has been asked to publish the list of contributions to the 24th of May celebration fund received up to the present time. Compared with last year it shows a decrease of about 50 per cent. The canvassers are still at work:

Robt. Beaven, Mayor, $100; Bank of British Columbia, $75; R. P. Rithet & Co., $50; Robert Ward & Co., $50; Nat. Electric Light & Tramway Co., $50; Mrs. Marshall, $50; Victoria Gardens, $50; Bank of Montreal, $25; B. C. Land & Investment Agency, $25; Thos. Earle, $25; J. S. Yates, $25; Nicholles & Renout, $25; Hudson's Bay Co., $25; Turner, Beeton & Co., $25; Boucherat & Co., $20; Ald. Baker, $20; Gilmore & McCandless, $15; Thos. Tugwell, $15; T. N. Hibben & Co., $10; McLennan & McFeely, $10; E. B. Marvin & Co., $10; P. McQuade & Sons, $10; Findlay, Durham & Brodie, $10; G H. Burns, $10; M. C. Brown, $10; Ellis & Co., $10; J. P. Davies & Co., $10; Sehl, Hastie, Erskine, $10; New England Bakery, $10; L. Willie, $10; R. H. Berryman, $10; A. Phillips & Son, $10; Cowan & Wilson, $10; Lenz & Leiser, $10; Muirhead & Mann, $10; Eberts & Taylor, $10; W. Templeman, $10; E. Crow Baker, $10; Challoner & Mitchell, $10; Ald. J. B. Lovell, $10; in sums of $5 and under, about $500.

Subsequent contributions will be acknowledged in these columns.

## ANNIVERSARY ENTERTAINMENT

**Happy Time in Pandora Avenue Church---Miss O'Neil Presented With a Purse.**

Notwithstanding the inclement weather last night there was a large and happy gathering at the Pandora Methodist Church, and the anniversary tea meeting and social proved a very successful affair. For two hours the tables in the lecture room were thronged, and the young ladies who acted as waitresses had a lively time distributing the abundance of good things provided. After tea an adjournment was made to the main auditorium of the church, gaily decorated for the occasion, where a sociable and happy time was spent. The efficient choir of the church providing a very acceptable programme. Several organ solos by Mrs. Drury and Miss Berryman during the tea hours were a pleasing feature. Appropriate addresses were delivered by Rev. Mr. Winchester, Chinese missionary, and Rev. Dr. Smith. An anthem by the choir was the first number on the programme, and was followed by a song by Mrs. Temple, who possesses an excellent soprano voice, which was heard to advantage in the selections she gave. She was vigorously encored, and was obliged to respond with a second selection. Miss Lawson gave a reading in her usual good style, and Mr. Temple contributed a capital solo, receiving an encore. Miss O'Neill, always a favorite, sang in her sweetest voice "Come home, Sweetheart," receiving an encore, to which she gracefully responded. At this juncture Rev. Coverdale Watson, pastor of the church, in a happy speech referred to the valuable services which Miss O'Neill had rendered the church as the leading singer in the choir, and on behalf of her friends in the congregation presented her with a well-filled purse as an expression of their appreciation of her long and successful services. A young gentleman in the choir was invited to respond by some voices from the audience, but was content to keep silence. An organ solo by Mr. Russell brought the entertainment to a close.

### C. O. O. F., M. U.

TO THE EDITOR:—A feeling of indignation is rapidly spreading in the Victoria section of the No. 7 district, better known as the British Columbia district, of the above, owing to the nonfulfilment of a promise made by the presiding officer at the District meeting held in the Cathedral schoolhouse of this city in December last, to the effect that another District Lodge would be held previous to the Grand Convention which will be held in St. Catharines, Ont., during the month of June. The holding of a District meeting would afford the delegates an opportunity of ratifying, if need be—at any rate of confirming—the minutes of the previous meeting, which certainly would reflect more pleasantly on the representative of this district to the Grand Lodge. Moreover, it was maintained at said District Lodge that it was premature in the appointing of a delegate so many months previous to the grand convention, that April would be time enough, notwithstanding the ruling of the chair to the contrary, as was also the case in disallowing the use of secret ballot for the election of said delegates. The April report issued from the head office in Toronto, which the subordinate lodges are in receipt of, substantiates the vigorous argument as to its prematureness. However, to return to the subject, this district lodge is the more requisite if there is to be one representative only to the grand convention, as it is utterly impossible for one delegate to uphold the many resolutions of the subordinates here, as to some extent they conflict. For instance, "white" vs. "color," *i.e.*, shall the former word be rescinded from the constitution of the Order? Therefore, to overcome the difficulty, one of the following modes as submitted might be adopted. A mass meeting of the Order might be called and a vote taken. The latter, no doubt, would prove more advantageous and be preferable. The District Lodge might convene and the questions of the district be there decided. Then, in this one representation affair, No. 7 District would be able to rest somewhat contented that its representative would be capable of voicing the questions at issue. Consequently, the discharge of his duties in an impartial and intelligent manner in the Grand Lodge of the Order, for the best welfare of the C.O.F. in the province of British Columbia, would be secured. —CONSTANCY.

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J. G. KENYON, Patentee.
Victoria, May 7, 1892. my9-1m

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## MUNICIPAL.

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S. T. STYLES,
Chairman Street Committee.
Victoria, March 3rd, 1892. mh3

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TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED up to noon Saturday, 14th instant, for the erection of a four-story and basement brick and stone building facing Goverament street, for Young Bros.

Lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

Parties not established in this city, or not in a position to give bonds in the full amount of contract need not apply.

JNO. TEAGUE,
Architect.
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### NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED up to noon 12th May, for the erection of a two-story brick business premises facing Wharf street, for James Yates, Esq.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Parties not established in business, or unable to give bonds in full amount of contract need not apply.

JNO. TEAGUE,
Architect.
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### TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED up to 6 o'clock of Thursday, May 12th, 1892, for the erection and completion of a three-story brick and stone building, on the corner of Government and Yates street.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Plans and specifications can be seen at my office.

THOMAS HOOPER,
Architect,
Over Spencer's Arcade.
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NO. 158.

## A BY-LAW

To amend the Buildings By-Law.

WHEREAS IT IS EXPEDIENT to further amend the Buildings By-Law,

Be it therefore enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria:

Sec. 1.—Section 20 of the Building By-Law, and the Building By-Law Amendment By-Law, 1890, are hereby repealed, and in lieu thereof the following shall be read:

FIRE LIMITS.

20.—All that portion of the City which is within the line hereinafter described, shall be known as the Fire Limits, namely:

Commencing at a point on the shore line of Victoria Harbour, opposite the nortwesterly corner of Lot 468, Block F; thence easterly to the centre of Store street; thence northerly along the centre of Store street to a point opposite the centre of Herald street; thence easterly along the centre of Herald street to the point of intersection of the centre lines of Douglas street and Herald street; thence southerly along Douglas street to the point of intersection of the centre lines of Douglas street and Fisguard street; thence easterly along the centre of Fisguard street to the point of intersection of the centre lines of Fisguard street and Blanchard Avenue; thence southerly along the centre line of Blanchard avenue to the point of intersection of the centre lines of Blanchard avenue and Pandora avenue; thence easterly along the centre line of Pandora avenue to the point of intersection of the centre lines of Pandora avenue and Blanchard street; thence southerly along the centre line of Blanchard street to the point of intersection of the centre lines of Blanchard street and Rae street; thence westerly to the point of intersection of the centre lines of Rae street and Douglas street; thence southerly along the centre line of Douglas street to the northwesterly corner of Lot 210; thence along the western boundary of Lot 210 to the shore of Victoria Harbour; thence following the shore line of the said harbour northerly to the place or point of commencement.

Sec. 2.—Section 22 of the Building By-Law and Section 1 of the Building By-Law Amendment By-Law, 1889, and the Building By-Law Amendment By-Law No. 2, 1889, are hereby repealed, and in lieu thereof the following shall be read:—No addition to or alteration of any building within the fire limits shall be made.

Sec. 3.—This By-Law may be cited as the "Buildings By-Law Amendment By-Law, 1892."

Passed the Municipal Council the 4th day of May, 1892.

Re-considered and finally adopted by the Council the 6th of May, 1892.

NOTICE.

The above is a true copy of a by-law passed by the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria on the 6th day of May, A.D. 1892, and all persons are hereby required to take notice that anyone desirous of applying to have such by-law or any part thereof quashed must make his application for that purpose to the Supreme Court within one month next after the publication of this by-law in the British Columbia Gazette, or he will be too late to be heard in that behalf. my10

NO. 159.

## A BY-LAW

With reference to Blanchard Street Extension, Victoria Crescent and McClure Street.

WHEREAS IT IS EXPEDIENT to extend Blanchard street and improve Victoria Crescent and McClure street; and

Whereas in every municipality the council may from time to time make, alter and repeal by-laws for opening, making, preserving, improving, repairing, widening, altering, diverting or stopping up streets, etc.

Sec. 1.—It shall be lawful for the Corporation of the City of Victoria to open, extend, grade, make, improve, and repair Blanchard street from Burdette avenue to Victoria Crescent.

Sec. 2.—It shall be lawful for the Corporation of the City of Victoria to open, extend, grade, make, improve, repair, widen, and alter Victoria Crescent from Burdette Avenue to Churchway.

Sec. 3.—It shall be lawful for the Corporation of the City of Victoria to open, grade, make, improve, repair, widen, and alter McClure street from Victoria Crescent to Vancouver street.

Sec. 4.—Blanchard street extension is described as commencing at a point on the southern boundary of Burdette avenue, six hundred and sixteen feet seven inches westerly from the northeast corner of block 4, Christ church trust as shown on a map or plan of the Christ church trust estate deposited in the Land Registery office Victoria, on the 16th day of February, 1877, and known as plan No. 35. Thence in a straight line south easterly to the northern boundary of Victoria Crescent; the contained angle formed by the southern boundary of Burdette avenue and the said straight line being seventy five degrees and thirtynine minutes. The aforesaid straight line shall be the eastern boundary of Blanchard street extension, which extension shall be sixty feet wide and shall extend from the south boundary of Burdette avenue to the north boundary of Victoria Crescent.

Sec. 5.—Victoria Crescent shall extend from Burdette avenue to the Churchway, and its general width shall be sixty feet, except where it widens out and curves the angles in making its junctions with Burdette avenue, McClure street and Churchway.

Sec. 6.—McClure street from Vancouver street to its junction with Victoria Crescent shall be sixty feet wide.

Sec. 7.—This by-law may be cited as the Blanchard street Victoria Crescent by-law, 1892.

Passed the Municipal Council the 4th day of May, A.D. 1892.

Reconsidered and finally adopted by the Council the 6th day of May, 1892.

[L.S.] ROBERT BEAVEN,
Mayor.
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
May 10. C. M. C.

NOTICE.

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NO. 160.

## A BY-LAW

To amend the Market By-Law Amendment By-Law, 1892.

WHEREAS it is desirable to amend Section 4 of the said by-law;

Therefore be it enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

(1.)—Section 4 of the Market By-Law Amendment By-Law, 1892, is hereby repealed, and in lieu thereof the following shall be read:

4.—Section 38 of the Market By-Law is hereby repealed, and the following section substituted therefor:

(38.)—All household bread manufactured by any person in the City for sale or offered for sale or sold in the City, shall be of good wholesome flour or meal, and shall be made into loaves, each of full weight, respectively of 1½ pounds, 3 pounds and 4½ pounds, and each loaf shall be marked with a number indicating its true weight. The term "household bread" shall imply all bread, except cream loaves, when one or more loaves are baked in a tin or pan. All other kinds, namely, currant loaves, cream loaves, and all shapes not baked in a tin or pan and having a crust all round to be termed "fancy bread," and not to come under the meaning of this section.

Section 2.—This by-law may be cited as "The Amending By-Law, 1892, to the Market By-Law."

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NO. 161.

## A BY-LAW

For Establishing and Maintaining a Home for the Aged and Infirm

WHEREAS UNDER and by virtue of subsection 16 of of section 104 of the Municipal Act 1892 it is enacted that in every Municipality the Council may from time to time make by-laws for granting aid to charitable institutions and for the relief of the poor and for erecting, leasing, establishing and maintaining a poor house or house for the aged and infirm either within or without the Municipal limits for disabled or decrepit persons;

Be it therefore enacted by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:—

1. It shall be lawful for the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria by resolution or by by-law or by either or both to grant sums of money out of the annual revenue from time to time to pay for erecting, repairing, leasing, or furnishing premises and paying rent and insurance and maintaining and, providing for a home for the aged and infirm and for such persons as may be employed in the management and care thereof or who may be admitted thereto and for such other purposes as the Council may decide.

2. The Corporation may by resolution appoint a manager or caretaker for the home and such other persons as may be deemed necessary and may fix and pay their salaries.

3. It shall be lawful for the Council by resolution to admit such persons as are 50 years of age or more and who have resided in the city for a period of 15 years and in the province 20 years prior to their application for admission as there may be accomodation for and who have been recommended both by the Mayor and by the standing committee after careful investigation and report in writing, subject, however, to examination and certificate from the Medical Health Officer as to their physical inability to earn a livelihood and as to their being mentally sound and free from infectious or contagious, or loathsome diseases, and subject also to such other rules or regulations as may be provided from time to time.

4. All pensioners of the Imperial or other service shall sign an order to pay over their pension to the Corporation of the City of Victoria prior to their admission to the Home.

5. All persons who have an income or who are the owners of real or personal property shall assign or transfer the same to the Corporation prior to their admission to the Home.

6. The standing committee for the Home may from time to time make such rules and regulation for its management as they may deem proper, subject however to the approval of the Council and the conditions of the Municipal act, and the by-laws in force for the time being.

7. It shall be the duty of the standing committee to advertise for tenders for the supplies necessary for the purposes of the Home and to report to the Council upon the tenders received.

8. It shall be the duty of the standing committee in all cases to report whether an applicant for admission to the Home has any relatives in the province capable of aiding or providing for his support.

9. It shall be lawful in cases of emergency for the Mayor, or for the standing committee with the sanction of the Mayor, to take such action as may be deemed necessary in connection with the Home subject to the conditions of sub-section C of section 21 of the Municipal Act, 1892.

10. It shall be the duty of the Medical Health Officer to examine applicants for admission to the Home and report the result of such examination to the Mayor.

11. All orders for admission to the Home shall be signed by the Mayor or other person acting in that capacity for the time being.

12. All donations or bequests of money in aid of the erection of a home for the aged and infirm shall be paid to the Treasurer of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, and prior to the commencement of the erection of the building shall be deposited by him to the credit of a building fund in such financial institution and at such rate of interest as may be approved by resolution of the Council.

13. This by-law may be cited as "The Poor House By-Law, 1892.

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## TREACHEROUS OPPOSITION.

Ottawa dispatches make it plain that the Dominion Government has adopted a new line of tactics in regard to the Nelson & Fort Sheppard Railway. Instead of openly refusing a charter for the company, which it could hardly venture to persist in doing in face of the unanimous desire of the province that a charter should be granted, the Government has now adopted the plan of delaying the bill in committee, so that presently it will be at liberty to say there is too short a time left for dealing with the matter. We need say nothing of the crookedness and injustice of such a course; every man can appreciate the meanness of the Government's position. If there were any valid objection to the road being built under a Dominion charter, and if the charter were openly refused therefor, the affair would bear a much better appearance. The fact that a treacherous plan of opposition has to be resorted to is very strong evidence that no valid objections can be found; and, as a matter of fact, all the objections offered when the charter was previously refused have been dissipated. Premier Abbott is credited with the statement that the road can be built to the boundary under the provincial act, this being apparently put forward as an argument against the Dominion Parliament granting a charter. It seems to us that this is a sort of double-action argument. If the road can be built anyway, what object is there in the Dominion Parliament refusing the legislation asked for? The road must have connection with another line at the boundary, and with a Dominion charter there would be no doubt as to its powers in that respect. There are no two opinions among those who know as to the benefit which the construction of the road would confer on Kootenay and on the province generally, and there is no good argument to advance against it, therefore the Government should encourage the enterprise instead of throwing obstacles in its way. Of one thing the Government may be sure, it will make no friends in British Columbia by continuing in its present course.

## THE INTERCOLONIAL.

Minister of Railways Haggart is reported to have announced in the House yesterday that the reductions in the staff and the train mileage on the Intercolonial Railway would effect a saving of $250,000 a year. As the present annual deficit on the road is over half a million, there still remains a considerable margin of expenses over revenue, which will not likely be further diminished. If the reductions announced by Mr. Haggart are honestly made and are to be permanent, the Minister and the Government deserve much credit for making them, because the Government will be sure to lose many votes on account of them. The Intercolonial has been persistantly and systematically used as an agency for securing support for the Conservative party, and the numerous dismissals must necessarily mean a decrease in the party vote along the line when the next election comes. Therefore, if the Government is really in earnest about the work of reform on the road and is boldly facing the risk of losing support thereby, its moral courage is to be commended. The trouble is that one cannot be certain about its moral courage holding out; no surprise will be caused if it suddenly increases the Intercolonial staff on the eve of the next general election, or failing that, if it devotes this saving of $250,000 a year to vote-making in some other direction. It will be remembered that when the bye-election in Richelieu was coming on last year demands were made on the Government for the execution of certain public works within the county. The Ministers at that time "assumed a virtue if they had it not," and said they could not satisfy those demands. The Montreal Gazette plainly told the people of Richelieu that the Government was not ready to spend public money in any constituency for the purpose of winning a bye-election. Even after Richelieu had pronounced against the Government Sir John Thompson said the Liberals were welcome to any county that turned over for such reasons. This show of moral courage, however, did not last long. The Government took good care that no other constituency in which a bye-election was pending should be told that there was no hope of the expenditure of public money for its benefit provided it returned a Government supporter. On the contrary, the electors were invariably encouraged to believe that the election of the Government candidate would be directly rewarded with public works of one kind or another. The Conservative papers and Conservative stumpers placed their principal dependence on this argument, while the boodle brigade was putting in effective work in another way. Every precaution was taken against a repetition of the Richelieu disaster. All this may naturally lead to the suspicion that the saving at the Intercolonial spigot may only mean a vast leakage at the treasury bunghole when a general election is at hand.

## "EQUALIZING CONSTITUENCIES."

The new gerrymander is meeting with Conservative as well as Liberal and Independent hostile criticism. The St. Catharines Standard, a Conservative paper, severely condemns the carving up of the Niagara Peninsula, and threatens the Government with a protest from a Lincoln County Conservative convention. The Standard objects to the favoritism shown to Eastern Ontario, at the expense of the West. It speaks in this way:

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| Lincoln | 21,806 |
| Welland | 25,131 |
| Monck | 15,315 |
| Haldimand | 16,361 |
| South Wentworth | 17,770 |
| North Wentworth | 14,591 |
| North Brant | 16,993 |
| South Norfolk | 17,780 |

These eight ridings are re-arranged to make six electoral districts with population as follows:

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| Lincoln | 25,230 |
| Welland | 26,944 |
| Haldimand and Monck | 21,474 |
| South Wentworth | 25,725 |
| North Wentworth and North Brant | 21,629 |
| South Norfolk | 22,702 |

While the Niagara peninsula representation in the House has thus been made to suffer, there are in the eastern portion of the province a number of electoral districts with populations under the average which remain undisturbed. Among them are the following:—

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| South Grenville | 12,931 |
| Frontenac | 13,445 |
| Brockville | 15,855 |
| Leeds and Grenville | 13,523 |
| Lennox | 14,902 |
| West Northumberland | 14,947 |

Lincoln and other portions of the Niagara District have good reason to protest.

In another article it says the new district of Lincoln and Niagara is shaped like a "leg of mutton." And so it is. South Wentworth and North Brant are even more awkward in shape, and nothing short of the "chain lightning" simile can do justice to the rare crookedness of their boundaries. The Montreal Star takes occasion to say:—"Sight must not be lost of the fact that the constitutional object of redistribution is, not to 'dish the Grits,' but to equalize the constituencies, so that a man living in one will have as effective a vote as one living in another. This end should be aimed at regardless alike of party and county lines. There should be no talk about a reluctance to disturb old constituencies. The Dominion ought to be gone thoroughly over and blocked out in electoral districts of practically identical population. This is the only just plan, and all that fall short of this are failures. Such a measure would be a redistribution bill; while the manipulation of townships and parishes according to their party complexion, is a gerrymander. And a 'gerrymander' is a dangerous violation of the spirit of the constitution."

## EDITORIAL NOTES.

According to an Ottawa dispatch, Hon. Mr. Carling has informed the Victoria members that the Dominion Government will pay the expenses of the Darcy Island lazaretto. It is to be hoped that this is correct, for there is no justice in saddling Victoria and Vancouver with the cost.

In regard to the Government's action on the Caron charges, the Montreal Witness says: "Such extraordinary proceedings as the government proposes were never heard of before. The Government has omitted from the indictment charges of corrupt expenditure in constituencies. The consequence of appointing judges as commissioners in such cases is not to secure an impartial decision, but to soil the ermine and create distrust in the impartiality of the judiciary. This is one of the greatest evils that can befall a nation.

The smallest wire in the world is made in Providence, R. I., by the use of diamond dies. Through them wire may be drawn finer than a human hair. Such wires are used for making receiving instruments for ocean cables, galvanometers for testing cables, etc. The smallest size yet made has a diameter of .002 of an inch, and of this wire it takes sixteen miles in length to weigh a pound. Notwithstanding the smallness of this wire it is wound with two layers of silk thread of smaller diameter than the wire, and the process of winding is said to be one of great delicacy.

## SOME MUNICIPAL MATTERS.

### Ald. Lovell Proposes to Divide the City Into Five Wards Instead of Three.

### The Old People's Home Does Not Enclude Women---Employment of Chinese.

Treasurer Kent was busy to-day completing the checks for the creditors of the late council. In another day or two Victoria will have no small creditors—they will all be large bondholders. The settlement of these old accounts has given the mayor, the treasurer and others any amount of trouble, and they are all glad that this stumbling block has been cleared away.

City Assessor is engaged in fixing the values of the recently added territory. Valuations are expected to be about the same as last year.

Ald. Munn will move at the meeting of the council to-night to the following effect: Whereas section 32 of the Esquimalt Water Works Act, 1885, provides that it shall not be lawful for the company or its contractors to employ Chinese on or about the laying of the pipes of the said water works, or the maintenance thereof, and whereas Chinese are employed in digging trenches for laying pipes in Esquimalt district by the Esquimalt Water Works Co. or by persons in their employ; be it therefore resolved, that the clerk be requested to call the attention of the Hon. the Attorney-General to this matter, as the company can without difficulty obtain as many men of our race resident in the city to do the work as they may require.

Ald. Lovell has given notice of a by-law to divide the municipality into wards, defining the boundaries thereof, and making provision for adding names to the voters' list of 1892. It is probable the by-law will divide the city into five wards, giving to each two representatives.

The information from Ottawa that the government will pay for the maintenance of the leper colony at Darcy Island gives the mayor and aldermen considerable satisfaction. As a matter of course, it is assumed that the cost of the lazaretto to the city up to the present time—which in all will be a good many thousand dollars — will be refunded by the Dominion government.

The by-law under which the council can establish a home for aged and infirm people does not apply to old men exclusively. It authorizes the council to expend money out of the annual revenue for the erection and maintenance of a "home for the aged and infirm," which, of course, will include old women as well as old men. The persons to be admitted must be of 50 years of age or over and must have resided in the city for 15 years and in the province for 20 years. The ladies who waited upon Mayor Beaven and asked him if the council proposed the establishment of an Old Women's Home probably did not read the by-law. Under it old women have an equal right with old men to the institution.

Our aldermen may take some interest in the "estimates" of the city of Vancouver, especially at the present moment when they are trying to apply the pruning knife to their own proposed expenditures. The city by the Lion's Gate, to borrow the beautiful imagery of the World, is not unlike the royal beast in many ways. There is nothing mean or impecunious about it, unless it be the rivalry between its newspapers. In all civic affairs, and especially in educational matters, the city spends money with great liberality, and the result of its generous expenditure can be seen in the excellent schools and in many important public improvements. Vancouver this year expects to have a revenue of $360,000. The largest item among the receipts is $210,687 from taxes on real estate, 1½ per cent. on $16,855,000. The water rate will yield about $43,000, the poll tax $10,000 and liquor licenses $18,000. The proposed expenditures from the general revenue include $28,445 for the board of works, $19,591 for police department, $56,893 for fire, water and light—street lighting being placed at $16,000,—and $31,467 for board of health. In addition to these expenditures from the general revenue, the following sums are to be provided for by special loans: Payment and extension of water works, $689,000; sewerage, $150,000; schools, $130,000; streets, $95,000. There is nothing little about Vancouver.

### Caviar.

Caviar, which is made from the eggs of the sturgeon, is an important article of exportation for many cities of Russia and Astrakhan and principally Taganrok. The annual amount is estimated at 40,000 pounds (one poud is 35 pounds.) The greater part goes to Turkey, Greece, Italy and Germany, very little to England, and still less to France. The fisheries are situated at the mouth of the Volga, upon the banks of which stand vast storehouses with basement and cellars in which are found the tubs that contain the brine used in the preparation of caviar. The most profitable fishing is done in autumn, this season yielding the largest quantity of eggs.

In winter the fishermen make large holes in the ice and fish with the spear. At all other times they use nets, about 800 feet in length, to which are attached cords provided with hooks. Each of these is strong enough to hold a fish of large dimensions. Each establishment owns a fleet of boats. The fishes brought on board are laid upon boards and covered with salt; and are then opened for the purpose of extracting the eggs and entrails, which the Russians are very fond of and which they eat in a fresh state.

For exportation caviar is prepared in two different ways. 1. The eggs are washed and then immersed in strong brine for three-quarters of an hour, and finally allowed to drain. In this way "granular caviar" is obtained. 2. For "compact" caviar the eggs are first cleansed, then pickled, and finally allowed to dry slowly. Then they are packed closely in canvas bags, which are inclosed in wooden barrels, after which they are ready for shipment. A ruder process, but one much used in the trade, consists in immersing the eggs immediately after collection in brine, wherein they are left for several months, after which they are dried in the sun.

## BOARD OF TRADE.

### Business Men of the City Discuss the Building Project.

A number of business men of the city attended the meeting at the Board of Trade rooms this afternoon to consider the proposition to build the Board of Trade block. Mr. A. C. Flummerfelt, vice-president of the Board, occupied the chair and there were present Messrs. Shakespeare, Templeman, Wilson, More, Renouf, Redon, Warner, Todd, Ker, Smith, Baker, Stamford, McGurn, A. B. Gray, Sorby, Hutcheson, Ridgway-Wilson, Belyea and Muir.

Mr. Flummerfelt said the committee had done their work, and found that the cost of the building exceeded the estimate, and they called the meeting to see if the subscribers would like to cut the cost down or not.

Mr. Renouf said originally it was intended to erect a $35,000 building, which with the cost of the land would reach $41,000. The cost of furnishing the building would be $4700, with an income of $7000. When the committee met they thought it should be a better building, and the architect was authorized to alter the specifications. The lowest tender to finish the building was $43,000. The land would cost $10,000 and the preliminary expenses would reach $3000, making a total of $56,000. The committee were sure of $26,500 of the stock, leaving a balance of $30,000, which they thought was too much to borrow. They thought $10,000 should be subscribed and the plans adopted and the building gone on with. A long discussion ensued.

## BRIEF LOCALS.

### One Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

All kinds of cutlery at Fox's, 78 Government street.

The plasterers have almost finished their work on the new Driard block; the building has materially changed in appearance within the last week. The lathers are hard at work on the ground floor and the plasterers will follow them to-morrow.

Folding camp beds, tables and chairs very light and strong at Weiler Bros.

When suffering from toothache try Gibbons' Toothache gum. Sold by all druggists.

The Vancouver World tells us that a husband and wife were made twain by a New Westminster parson. In Victoria that is the work of the Supreme Court, and in Canada, outside of British Columbia, the Dominion Senate alone can untie the marital knot.

### Father Chirouse's Parish.

Father Chirouse, in an interview with a reporter, said: "My parish is a large one, extending over six hundred miles of country from Pavillion, twenty miles above the Lillooet, to the coast and Bute Inlet; so you see I have plenty to do." He described his connection with the flogging case, and continued, "You must remember that long before the white men came to this country the Indians had their own modes of punishment for various offences, and when the missionaries came they never interfered with it. The Indians are in many cases far from white men, and if the chief has not authority to control his people there would be innumerable crimes committed that are now prevented by tribal laws. You can easily imagine how even murders have been avoided by this means."


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## THE CITY AND DISTRICT

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**Trout Fishing.**

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**Nothing New.**

A party of sealers waited upon Admiral Hotham on board the Warspite last evening, to consult him in regard to the sealing question. They learned nothing new.

**Time Expires.**

The time for receiving tenders for the Yates building to be built on Wharf street expires at noon to-morrow. The tenders for the Young block must be in by the same time on Saturday.

**The Admiral Will Attend.**

Admiral Hotham and staff will attend the Y.L.I. concert this evening in the new R.C. cathedral. There will no doubt be a large number present, the new features to be introduced being both interesting and amusing.

**"Buttermilk."**

"Buttermilk Soap," "Buttermilk Cream" and "Buttermilk Powder" are the latest novelties in complexion preparations. Cochrane & Munn, prescription druggists, corner Yates and Douglas streets, have them in stock.

**Motion to Quash Conviction.**

Mr. Belyea on Saturday next will move before the Supreme Court in Chambers for a writ of certiorari to quash the conviction of Magistrates Dalby and Shakespeare against J. H. Gaerdes on a charge of infraction of the Liquor Regulations Act, heard at the Police Court last week.

**Good News.**

The old accounts against the city, held over from last year, with the exception of three or four that are still being considered, have been ordered to be paid and City Treasurer Kent has the checks now ready. Parties calling at the city hall during office hours to-morrow will receive their checks.

**St. Luke's, Cedar Hill Road.**

The ladies of this congregation have again completed their arrangements for another sale of work to be followed by an entertainment which will, as heretofore, command patronage from the city, where many friends are interested in the welfare of this shining congregation. The date fixed is Monday the 15th inst.

**New Officers and Sailors.**

H.M.S. Champion left for Vancouver at 7 o'clock this morning to bring down the officers and blue-jackets who are coming across the continent on a special C.P.R. train. There are 205 seamen and marines and 25 officers The train passed through Winnipeg between three and four o'clock yesterday morning, being earlier than usual.

**Probably the Last.**

This evening at Government House there will be given what is likely to be the last "At Home" under the present regime, as Hon. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson intend to leave soon on a tour of Europe, from which they do not expect to return until late in the year. Many invitations have been sent out, and there is likely to be the largest and most brilliant gatherings at the Castle since the present Lieutenant-Governor assumed office.

**The Police Court.**

At the police court this morning the charge of larceny against Thomas Preston, was dismissed, there being no evidence sufficient for a conviction. In dismissing the case the court gave Preston a severe lecture. The hearing of the charge against a lady of forcibly obstructing an officer in the discharge of his duty was concluded, and judgment given for the defendant, the court deciding that no offence had been committed. Both parties had to pay their own costs.

**Another Funny Man.**

The next attraction at the Victoria Theatre is Eli Perkins, the philosophic funny man, who appears in a lecture entitled the "Philosophy of Wit," illustrated with diagrams, on the 14th inst., next Saturday. It is scarcely necessary to say anything in praise of the celebrated Eli, who originated the phrase that every man, woman and child on this continent has said so many hundreds of times, "get there Eli." This is the real, original Eli, who generally gets there, and certainly will next Saturday evening at the Victoria.

**C.O.O.F., M.U.**

The Mount Tolmie Lodge held their usual meeting last evening in their hall at Mount Tolmie. The new regalia appeared to perfection, and many members from Pride of the West, Waverly, Lake and Fernwood lodges joined the local brethren. The N.G., Brother Brownlee, appeared at home, acquitted himself with marked ability, and after lodge work he entertained all with a royal banquet, and it was evident all enjoyed the good things prepared and the night until a late hour was spent in a manner which commends the member of this order for peace, love and harmony.

**The Indissoluble Knot.**

At the New Westminster Methodist parsonage on Saturday last, Mr. L. L. Chadsey, a well-known Sumas farmer, was united in marriage with Miss Sadie M. Wilkinson, daughter of Mr. Thos. Wilkinson, of Hamilton, Ont., and sister of Mr. J. T. Wilkinson, of Chilliwack, who gave the bride away. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Hall, assisted by Rev. E. E. Robson. Miss Bertha Reece, of Chilliwack, acted as bridesmaid, and Mr. L. G. Munn stood up with the groom. The bride, who is a most charming young lady, was paying her brother a visit, intending to remain a few months only, but the fates decided otherwise. The happy couple have been spending the first few days of the honeymoon in Victoria.

**Further Triumphs.**

Frank Daniels and his capital comedy company won fresh laurels last night at the Victoria. A large audience witnessed the play and heartily enjoyed the fun all through. Applause and laughter divided the time of the spectators. Mr. Daniels' drolleries were even better appreciated last night than on the first performance, there being subleties about the American joke that require reiteration. The singing of Miss Hilda Thomas was the most pleasing feature of the whole entertainment; she had to respond to many encores, and always did so with ready good nature, each succeeding song appearing to surpass its predecessor. Miss Bessie Sanson sustained the part of Miranda with her usual cleverness. A general opinion prevails that the "Little Puck" Company is the smartest and cleanest seen here in a long time.

**Hot For Spring Sports.**

Out door games; lawn tennis, lacrosse, baseball, cricket etc., at Kerr & Begg's bookstore.

**Eat the Best.**

Another consignment of Gilt Edge hams, mild California cheese, and Breakfast Gem at J. P. Matthews & Co., corner of Fort and Douglas St. *

**The New Drug Store.**

Physicians prescriptions are carefully compounded at Hall & Co's. Central drug store, 86 Douglas street, also a good line of patent medicines and toilet articles in stock.

**Order Will Be Enforced.**

The young man who created a disturbance in the Victoria theatre gallery on Monday night will be required to answer for his actions at the police court to-morrow morning. Sergeant Walker, who persuaded the youth to leave his position among the "immortals," laid information against him at the earliest opportunity. In future an officer will see that order is observed among "the gods" during performances at the theatre.

**The Fireworks Display.**

The fireworks for the 24th of May celebration were shipped from Hamilton, Ont., last week, and Prof. Hand, who is to take charge of the display, left shortly afterwards. The programme for the display is a long and varied one, commencing with a salute of aerial bombs. Then follows balloon ascensions, with magnesium lights, and 90 other displays, ending with a grand bombardment between ships, gunboats and forts.

**Did His Best.**

The following communication was received the other day by a city grocer from one of his friends in Saanich: "Dear Sirr i hav sume verry gud tyese you wond like to by it is strong annd verry gud alsow lotts ov 1 clas egs an pultry let mee no if yu want sem an eyll du mi bessr yures sintsearla Tomas ——." The goods, the grocer says, are much superior to the spelling. The author of the letter is a very honest, respectable man, although he knows less of English than of the quality of "tyese."

**Mining at Lillooet.**

Mr. C. Phair, mining recorder at Lillooet, talks very encouragingly of the mining prospects for the season at Lillooet. An English company is taking the water from Cayoosh Creek, three miles from Lillooet, and carrying it by flume to Lillooet and across the river, to wash the dirt on the opposite bank. The flume is costing several thousand dollars, but big pay is expected. The Bonanza mine, on Cayoosh Creek, has been bonded for a large sum. Mr. Wm. Tietjen has started work hydraulicing on a new claim on the south fork of the Bridge river. The river has been dammed, and there will be no lack of water. An outfit is being taken up for a hydraulic claim on Cadwallader Creek, which will be managed by Mr. Jensen.

**Hospitably Entertained.**

Messrs. Smith and Stanley, grand president and grand secretary respectively of the Y. M. I., were entertained last evening by Seghers Council at a banquet in the Hotel Victoria. Over fifty persons sat down to the well-laden board, Mr. F.H. Lang, president of Seghers Council, filling the chair acceptably. There were present Rt. Rev. Bishop Lemmens, Grand President Smith, Grand Secretary Stanley, Rev. Fathers Nicolaye, Laterne, and Van Nevel and nearly all the members of Seghers Council. Various patriotic and fraternal toasts were given and duly honored. The two guests of the local council were shown over the city yesterday, and left for Nanaimo this morning accompanied by Rev. Father Van Nevel.

**Delta Lodge, of Ladner's.**

Delta Lodge, No. 12, A.O.U.W., was instituded at Ladner's Landing on Monday evening by Grand Master G. Leiser and Recorder Henry Jewell. This is the first lodge to be instituted under the new provincial jurisdiction. There were a large number of members of the order present, a special boat taking them from New Westminster. The lodge starts with 24 charter members, but it is expected that before the charter closes there will be over 50 members on the roll. The officers are: H. D. Benson, P.M.W.; F.L. Lord, M.W.; A. Gilchrist, F.; J. McLaren, O.; G. Hauck, R.; S. Hinchliffe, Fin.: Dr. R. Taylor, Rec.; R. McKay, Guide; J. P. Elliott, I. W., and J. Walsh, O. W. After the installation the visitors were banquetted by the members of the new lodge. To M. Ross of New Westminster is due much of the credit for the successful manner in which the new lodge was organized, he having been at Ladner's for several weeks, inducing the residents to join.

**The World Enriched.**

The facilities of the present day for the production of everything that will conduce to the material welfare and comfort of mankind are almost unlimited and when Syrup of Figs was first produced the world was enriched with the only perfect laxative known, as it is the only remedy which is truly pleasing and refreshing to the taste and prompt and effectual to cleanse the system gently in the Spring time or, in fact, at any time and the better it is known the more popular it becomes.

Glasgow beef hams just received from Scotland at Jameson's, the Red Front grocery, Fort street.

## PRINCIPAL BURNS' RESIGNATION

**Mr. Burns Does Not Wish to Say Whether He Has Been Offered the Asst. Inspectorship.**

In the estimates passed at the last sitting of the Provincial Legislature, $1500 a year was set aside for a second inspector of schools and assistant in the education office. When Principal Burns' resignation was made public, the general impression was that he had been offered the position.

Mr. Burns was seen by a TIMES reporter this morning and asked if he would give his reasons for resigning.

He said his reasons were of a purely private nature, and that was why he did not make them public in his letter to the board.

"Have you received any offer of the position of assistant inspector of schools?" asked the reporter.

"I would rather not say anything about it," said Mr. Burns. The fact is I have been offered several appointments; one in Toronto."

**A Big Transfer.**

The Sayward lumber mill deal was closed yesterday afternoon, the property passing into the hands of the Tacoma Syndicate. Colonel Northey, representing the syndicate, which is backed by enormous capital, engineered the deal from its inception and has succeeded in landing the extensive plant and properties of the Sayward Mill Company for his syndicate at a consideration which is deemed satisfactory by all the parties concerned. This transfer is the largest consummated in Victoria in many years. Mr. Carmody, the syndicate's practical man and possessed of extensive experience in the lumbering business, has gone out with a party of 21 men to make a thorough investigation of the land around Comox, where extensive timber limits belonging to the syndicate are situated. The region around Seymour Narrows will be also closely examined and reported upon at some later date. Col. Northey has been approached by eastern capitalists anxious to handle the property just transferred, who are making offers of a very tempting nature. It is not probable, however, that anything will be done in this direction; at least for the present. The capitalization of the syndicate's funds is now going forward and it is understood will be interestingly close to the six figures. The new company will carry on the business on an increased scale, which, backed by their practically unlimited capital, they are well able to do.

**Two Attractive Events.**

This afternoon in the schoolroom of the Cathedral the ladies of St. Barnabas Church are holding a sale of fancy work for the benefit of the church fund. As the articles to be offered for sale have been specially made for this bazaar, many of them of a costly nature, the sale is certain to be attended by every lady who is desirous of securing some pretty ornament for her drawing room or parlor. At 8 p.m., in the same place, the following programme will be performed by members and friends of the congregation:

PART I.

Piano Solo.....Miss Arden
Song.....Rev. W. D. Barber
Recitation.....Miss Brady
Song.....Mrs. Janion
Indian club swinging by a company of young ladies.
Trio—Mandolin, banjo and guitar.....
Messrs. T. and W. McInnes and Martin.
Song.....Miss Arrowsmith
Reading.....Ven. Archdeacon Scriven

PART II.

Duet.....Mrs. Legge and Jay
Song.....Rev. Hewetson
Song.....Mrs. Temple
Policemen's Chorus from "The Pirates of Penzance."
Song.....Mr. Sterling Floyd
Violin Solo.....Mr. Nash
Song.....Miss Lipscombe
Song, comic.....Mr. Silk
God Save the Queen.

**Oak Bay Land Sale.**

The Oak Bay Improvement Company have instructed Messrs. Richards & Cuthbert, the Broad street auctioneers, to conduct an auction sale of some of the choicest property owned by them at Oak Bay on Saturday, the 21st of May. Property to the value of between $40,000 and $50,000 will be put on the market in one and four acre blocks and in lots. There is no doubt that Oak Bay for residential purposes and as a pleasure and health resort is one of the finest portions of this beautiful and highly favored city, and the company are to be congratulated on deciding to offer their valuable property to the public to the highest bidder, thus giving everybody on equal chance to secure an interest there at their own price. The sale will be announced in these columns in the usual way in a few days, and in the meantime plans and full particulars are being prepared under the directions the auctioneers.

**In Chambers.**

Robertson & Co. vs. Sears—that six garnishers pay debts. Mr. Irving for judgment creditor. The order was granted in some cases.

Ramsay vs. Sears—that seven garnishers pay debts. Granted.

Nye vs. McNeill—for sheriff to return horse seized by him. Adjourned till to-morrow.

Braverman vs. Lindsay and Stevens—for order to sign judgment under order XIV. against Stevens. Leave to defend if money is paid into court within a week.

Sinclair vs. Lorrimer and Jensen—for garnishee order nisi. Adjourned till to-morrow.

Carmody vs. Moore—for examination of defendant. Adjourned for a week.

**Getting Their Hand In.**

The vanguard of the noble army of itinerant musicians reached town this morning. A sad faced woman tugged miscellaneous music out of a consumptive-looking concertina, a blind man provoked profanity with a small organ, out of which he ground chunks of the operas and fragments of ballads. An Italian gentleman with a barrel organ and "da moonkah" horrified the truly musical with alleged tunes from everywhere. There are more of them coming on every boat and there are heaps of them left to select from. They have scented the 24th celebration from afar, and have wandered over to participate in the shower of nickels and dimes.

**The New Rain-Proof Process.**

The new method of rain-proofing coats and cloaking fabrics will revolutionize the trade in waterproof goods. With the general adoption of goods treated by the Melissa process the reign of the old style mackintosh is forever ended. This is a foregone conclusion with all people who have tested the claims of the new process. When merely handling the goods which have undergone threatment no evidence of the strange quality it possesses is apparent. Unlike goods treated in the old way, the fabric retains its softness and has in appearance none of the characteristics by which waterproof goods are determined. The cloth retains its porous quality, and can be breathed through. It is this fact which makes one skeptical previous to witnessing the test by water. After that all doubt is dispelled. The strange power of repelling water is wonderful, and a matter of surprise to all. Coats and cloaks made with material treated by the Melissa process are not alone rain-proof, but porous and odorless. Being porous, a circulation of air around the body is permitted, which is absolutely necessary to health and comfort. This feature is one which cannot be found in any other garment.—Chicago Dry Goods Reporter.

**Important Auction.**

To-morrow Messrs. Richards & Cuthbert will be fully occupied from early in the morning until late in the afternoon. At 10:30 they will sell by auction the frame building known as the London Harmony, at the corner of Broad and Johnson streets; also the pool and billiard tables, etc. At 11 o'clock at their sale rooms they will sell several horses, carriages, a few sets of harness and a large assemblage of household furniture etc. Most of the property is sold by order of mortgagees.

**Donations Acknowledged.**

The matron of the Refuge Home acknowledges donations from the following ladies and gentlemen: Mrs. J. Rankin, Mrs. T. G. Moody, Mrs. Flett, Mrs. Tuttle, Mrs. H. Siddall, Hebrew Ladies' Society, Mrs. Pemberton, Mrs. Carne, Mrs. Johnston, Mrs. J. Elford, Mrs. D. Spencer, Mrs. G. Grant, Cafe Royal, ladies of Calvary Baptist church. Any clothing for the inmates would be acceptable.

**Fog Alarm Machinery.**

A large consignment of specially constructed machinery is lying on the C.P.R. wharf at Vancouver, addressed to the Marine Department, Victoria. The machinery is intended for the construction of a fog alarm at Active Pass. Two sets came through from headquarters, but where the other alarm is to be placed is not yet known. The machinery will be brought over probably this evening on the Islander.

**A Dangerous Sign.**

Sam Lee, a Humboldt street Celestial, has gone to some trouble to put up a large glaring red and yellow sign in front of his wash-house, but has not taken precaution to make it safe for the public to travel under it. Two slender battens are its only support, and the first high wind may bring it down on some unfortunate person's head. Sam should be notified to make his sign secure.

**Motion for Contempt.**

A motion was made in the Supreme Court to-day before the Chief Justice to commit Mr. J. Blake, of Vancouver, for contempt of court. The prosecution in the case is the B. C. Law Society, it being contended that Mr. Blake has been practising as a solicitor at Vancouver, he not being a duly qualified practitioner.

**Taken to the Hospital.**

John Leary, who the other night while influenced by the D. T.'s hammered his head with heavy rough-shod shoes, was this afternoon taken to St. Joseph's Hospital. He is now quite sane and only needs a little care to be himself again.

**Juvenile Fancy Ball.**

The juvenile fancy dress ball of Mrs. E. Dickenson's dancing academy, which takes place at Assembly Hall on Friday evening, will be one of the prettiest events of the season. There will be a large attendance.

**An Unlicensed Peddler.**

This afternoon Officer Redgrave arrested a Chinaman for peddling without a license. Sam's outfit was locked up and he was given a chance to get a license, but this he has not done as yet.

**Another Addition.**

Davidson Bros. have secured the services of Mr. E. F. Robertson, an expert manufacturing jeweler from London, Eng., to take charge of the manufacturing department of their business.

The schooner Lottie, reported wrecked near Tillamook rock, off the Oregon coast, in last evening's TIMES, was manned by Captain Butler and a crew of three men. It is thought there were also some Indians aboard.

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## A PARENT'S COMPLAINT.

### Mr. McNeill, a Public School Teacher, Charged With Cruelty to His Pupils.

### Principal Burns, of the Victoria High School, Tenders His Resignation.

The regular monthly meeting of the board of school trustees was held at the city hall last evening, Chairman Hayward presiding. Trustees Morrow, Richards, Lovell, Saunders, McConnan, and McKay were present.

There were a number of teachers and pupils also present.

The minutes of the last meeting having been read, the secretary read the following

COMMUNICATIONS.

From the principals of the difierent schools requesting supplies.—Referred to the supply committee.

The chairman mentioned that the principals of the schools wished to know if the board would undertake to pay the teacher of singing who is now paid by the pupils.

The matter was explained by one of the teachers, and after a discussion the question was deferred until the next monthly meeting.

From Principal Burns, calling attention to the public using the gymnasium on holidays.

It was decided to put up notices forbidding the use of the gymnasium except during school hours.

From W. Burns, resigning his position of principal of the high school, to take effect on June 30th.

In answer to the question as to why Mr. Burns had resigned, the secretary stated that he had heard that Mr. Burns had got a better "job."

The resignation was accepted and the secretary authorized to call for applications for the position.

The regular statement of attendance showed an enrollment of 1906, average attendance, 1605; average per teacher, 54.05.

COMPLAINT AGAINST A TEACHER.

Chairman Hayward explained that there was a complaint against a teacher and asked if the board wished it read in public. He thought it should be.

Trustee McConnan objected. He thought it should be considered in private.

The rest of the board differed with Trustee McConnan, so the letters were read.

*To the Chairman Public School Board, Victoria, B.C.:*

DEAR SIR,—Permit me to call your attention to the manner in which one McNeil, a teacher in the central school, undertakes to punish his scholars and to ask you if his mode of punishment is permitted by your board. On the 26th inst., an exhibition took place which I consider disgraceful, and which can perhaps be better explained to you in the following manner than in any other, this being as I have it from the boy whose explanation I believe to be correct. The boy's explanation was here given, it being to the effect that the boy was asked by the teacher if he had a certain lesson. His answer was, "I don't know." Whereupon the teacher struck him across the thigh with a stick, making a mark four inches long and drawing blood. The boy made a further reply, when he was "grabbed" by the collar by the teacher, whose nails scratched the boy's neck. The boy says he was then drawn to the back of the room, thrown on the floor and held there by the teacher, who placed his knee on the boy's stomach. The boy said "let me up," when the teacher dragged him a short distance and then knocked him down again. He then threw him against the wall and then out of the room, trying to throw him down again in the passage. "Will you do what I tell you?" asked the teacher.

"No, not if you treat me in this manner," answered the pupil.

The boy says he was then thrown into the principal's room.

The writer says after hearing the boy's explanation and seeing the marks on his legs, he spoke to the principal and asked him if he knew the true inwardness of what had occurred. The principal said he knew nothing about it until the boy was thrown into the room by Mr. McNeil, who was breathless and excited. He (the principal) saw marks on the boy's neck and his collar was undone.

The writer asked, "Did your punishishment fit the crime? Is this a proper manner in which to correct a scholar 15 years of age? Can a teacher who cannot govern his temper govern his scholars? Has a teacher the privilege of mopping the floor with a pupil? Has every so-called master the sanction of your board to use a riding whip on a boy's head or any other portion of his body which may be uppermost?" The writer explained that he did not bring the matter up because the boy was his, but because he thought it was his duty. He said he had seen the teacher act brutally to boys in the yard. He did not say his boy was blameless, but he thought punishments should be administered by the head teacher and upon that portion of the body which the Creator made for the purpose.

J. B. GORDON.

The teacher referred to answered as follows:—

VICTORIA, B.C., May 3, 1892.

*B. Williams, Esq., Secretary Public Board, City.*

DEAR SIR,—Your communication, dated April 29th, to hand, with Mr. Gordon's letter enclosed.

In reply I shall endeavor to give as plain a statement of the occurrence as I can.

The facts are these: Walter Gordon was registered in my department April 19th. He stated he had come from Seattle. During the first two or three days I did not ask him to work much, but allowed him to note the working of the class. On the 25th—the day previous to this trouble—I had occasion to reprimand him for what I considered impertinent answers. In this instance, I spoke to him privately of his actions, and plainly stated not to repeat them, as I could not allow such conduct. He promised to be obedient. Towards the close of the following day—the 26th—I was teaching a reading lesson; Walter Gordon was not paying attention. During that afternoon I noticed considerable restlessness around where he sat, and to avoid any friction I addressed the class either two or three times, and directed them to attend. Even then he did not obey. I asked him if he knew all about this lesson (a lesson he had not studied before and knew nothing about). He answered, "I don't know," in which sounded to me an impertinent tone of voice. I immediately used my stick, giving him one stroke on the thigh—not in my opinion heavy enough to draw blood. If I drew blood or left a mark, I regret doing so. In a moment he jumped up in front of me and said, "Now, don't you be so funny," appearing to me in a fighting attitude, or at all events prepared to resist my authority. Just here I wish to state that this pupil was prepared to resist if I attempted to punish him at any time, and I can produce abundant evidence that he stated this.

I then took hold of him and put him down on the floor; he talked and fought desperately all the time. He would not yield or stop talking, so I pushed him out into the hall, and put him down again and asked him to obey. He would not. Seeing he was determined, I ushered him into the Principal's room, stating I should explain when I dismissed my class. I did not "bang his head against the floor," nor "knock him against the seat." If he was hurt in any way, it was caused by his own resistance.

At the close of school I explained the matter to the Principal, and stated I would suspend the boy till he made suitable apology and promised to be obedient.

Next morning, in the presence of the Principal, the boy acknowledged his guilt, promised to be obedient and attend to his studies, and since that time has conducted himself properly.

This, sir, is a plain statement of the case.

Mr. Gordon complains that I act in a most brutal manner to boys on the grounds; "that I drag them in the dirt," that "I mop the floor with my pupils," and that "I strike boys on the head." I deny the above in toto. I refer you to the Principal and my associate teachers who are always on the yard with me, and can see whether my actions are as Mr. Gordon claims.

Now, as to striking Geo. Englehardt, I did so, and was justified in my action, as the boy admitted and admits still. I intended to strike him on the seat, but, attempting to ward off the stroke, he received it on the hand.

If there is any further information necessary, I shall be pleased to give it.

Hoping my explanation will prove satisfactory, I am, yours respectfully,

ANGUS B. MCNEILL.

Mr. McNeill's letter having been referred to Mr. Gordon, he answered as follows:

VICTORIA, B.C., May 5, 1893.

*B. Williams, Esq., Secretary School Board.*

DEAR SIR:—Your favor of 4th inst. to hand with copy of letter from A. B. McNeill.

His explanation of the matter differs somewhat from that of the boy, but from what I learn, I conclude that he was so enraged at the time that he does not remember all he did in the heat of his passion.

If his explanation of the conduct of the boy at the outset is correct, I am of opinion that the boy needed a flogging and should not have objected for one moment to his receiving what his conduct merited. He (Mr. McNeill) states "I put him on the floor and he talked and fought desperately all the time; he would not yield, so I pushed him out into the hall and put him down again."

I would ask, what boy would *not* endeavor to extricate himself by force if a teacher so far forgets himself as to knock him down and kneel on him.

The man in my humble opinion admits what I claim as "brutal conduct." He admits knocking the boy down *twice*, yet concludes by hoping that his explanation is satisfactory.

Is it satisfactory to the School Board to have a man acting in this manner, to have pupils obey their teachers out of fear rather than out of respect?

Is it satisfactory to have a teacher when accused of ill-using scholars, to try and crawl out of the difficulty by saying "He appeared to me in a fighting attitude?" as much as to say, he had to knock him down and kneel on him in self-defence.

Is it satisfactory to have the skin torn from a boy's neck, to have him knocked down and his head banged on the floor? I think that if this man is physically so weak and puny that he cannot flog a boy of 15 (who is small for his age) in a proper manner without knocking him down and kneeling on him, the flogging department should be handed over to one of the female teachers.

Any man deserving the name, if armed with a good cane, ought to be able to thrash any boy without a wrestling match and without using his feet.

I have questioned the boy to-day, and he states, "I did *not* acknowledge my guilt on the following morning, but simply said, in answer to questions, that I did not intend to speak rudely and would try and not use a tone of voice which would appear rude. I was not asked to make an apology and made none."

His (Mr. McNeill's) denial (in toto) that he "mops the floor with his pupils" does not require any answer. The appearance of the boy when he came from school is sufficient evidence.

If this conduct is satisfactory to your School Board, then sir, I have nothing more to say. Respectfully yours,

J. B. GORDON.

Trustee Morrow asked Mr. McNeill, through the chairman, what had occurred the day after the whipping complained of took place.

Mr. McNeil said Principal Netherby came to him and said Mr. Gordon had been to him in regard to his boy. He (McNeil) went out into the hall, where he saw the boy. He asked him if he thought his conduct had been becoming. The boy first answered "I do not know," and then said his conduct had not been becoming. He said he would be obedient in the future, and he considered that an acknowledgment of guilt.

Mr. Netherby said that in answer to a question he told Mr. Gordon that Mr. McNeil did not want the boy to go on his knees and apologise. He had had a long talk with Mr. Gordon, and from what that gentleman said he thought the matter would rest where it was.

Mr. Gordon said Mr. Netherby had told him that some doctor, Dr. Pope, would be a good man for him to see. Most of what Mr. Netherby said was correct, but part was not. He said that Mr. McNeil did not want the boy to go on his knees before him. What he did say was that he (Mr. Netherby) did not want the boy to go on his knees. He was not objecting to the boy receiving a flogging. But he objected to the treatment that the boy had been subjected to. It was not right for a teacher to knock a boy down and then kneel on him; it was in fact demoralizing. The blow must have been a hard one to draw blood and leave marks of blood on the boy's underclothes. It was not right for a teacher to punish the boy the way he had, because he thought his language was rude. If he had only struck the boy he would not have taken any notice of it. It was out of the question to expect a boy to be passive after he had been grabbed by the collar and knocked down. He would not own a boy that would be passive under the circumstances; he would have no spirit if he did not resent the treatment. If the boy had done wrong he should have been taken out and flogged in the proper manner.

Chairman Hayward said Mr. McNeill denied what Mr. Gordon said in regard to the treatment of boys in the playground. Has Mr. Gordon any evidence of what he saw in the yard?

Mr. Gordon said he had the evidence of his own eyes. He was interested in knowing if the board allowed teachers to use the pupils as his son had been used. He had seen Mr. McNeill draw a boy from the line and throw him down in the yard. He mentioned it at the time, although he did not know who Mr. McNeill was.

Mr. McNeill said he had punished boys in line, but he had never overdone it. All the teachers were on the grounds with him and they were ready to give evidence.

Mr. Gordon—"What one man has seen is more to the point than what 40 men have not seen." He contended that if the teachers did not see Mr. McNeill throw the boy down, it did not alter the case. When he saw the action he had only been here a few days and thought it was a marvellous way to punish a boy.

Mr. McNeill then went over the case as given in his letter. If he made a mark on the boy's leg he was sorry for it. To the best of his knowledge, however, he did not think he had struck hard enough to draw blood. He was prepared to prove that the boy premeditated resisting him if he was punished. He called on the boys present, who had heard Gordon threaten to resist him, to stand up. Four boys stood up.

Mr. Gordon asked the boys what they were discussing when his son threatened to resist his teacher. The boys could not answer.

The fact of the case, said Mr. Gordon, was that his boy had said that he would not let McNeill strike him as he had seen him strike other boys. Mr. McNeill admitted having knocked the boy down. He was willing to let the case stand there.

Mr. McNeill said he put the boy down. If there was any abuse it was caused by the boy. He had witnesses here to defend him, as he had to earn his bread and butter by teaching.

Trustee Richards thought it was a pity that a teacher could not punish his pupils without doing it as severely as is done. There should be some means adopted to do away with flogging. The way the children were punished was being pretty freely talked about in the city. He had seen Teachers chastise children while in line, that was very unbecoming. They have canes in their hands and they hit pretty hard.

Trustee Lovell said the evidence so far was merely hearsay; they could not consider the case without having the facts.

Master Gordon here repeated what was stated in his father's letter. He further said that Mr. McNeill tripped him with his foot. He had said that he would not let McNeill punish him as he had seen him punish other boys; poking them and hitting them over the neck with a stick.

Mr. McNeill said he had not knelt on the boy's stomach or banged him on the floor. He might have knelt on his shoulders. Corporal punishment was his last resort. He did not in this case ask the boy to go up to the desk and take the usual punishment on the hands. He did not know why he did not pursue the usual course. He denied the charge of cruelty in the yard in toto.

Mr. Netherby, principal of the school, said he had never heard any complaints against Mr. McNeill. His room was second to none in the school.

The chairman quoted article 7 of the rules and regulations, which says the teacher should punish the boy as a kind parent would do.

Mr. Gordon asked Mr. Netherby if the boy looked as though he had been treated as he would have been by a kind parent when he was thrown into his room.

Mr. Netherby said the boy's collar was undone.

It was moved by Trustee McConnan and seconded by Trustee Lovell, that in the opinion of this board Mr. McNeill had not exceeded his authority.

Trustee Richards, while agreeing with the motion, hoped that this would be the last case of the kind to come before the board. He did not approve of corporal punishment, and if it had been his boy that had been treated as Master Gordon had, he would have brought the matter before the board.

Trustee McConnan's motion was carried unanimously.

Mr. Gordon thanked the board for their indulgence and hoped that the discussion would do some good.

INSURANCE.

A letter was received from the Guardian Fire Insurance Company announcing the expiration of a policy for $10,000. It was decided to renew it as follows: Guardian $2000, Lancashire $4000 and City of London $4000. This gives all the companies in the city a share of the insurance.

The meeting adjourned at 10:30.


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## LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made at the next sitting of the Licensing Board for renewal of Hotel Janion liquor license.

WALKER & REINHARDT.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Commissioners for a transfer of license held by me, to Benjamin Carter, to sell wines and other intoxicating liquors upon the premises known as the St. George's Inn, Esquimalt road, in the city of Victoria, B.C.

Dated this 7th day of May, 1892.

(Signed) WILLIAM McDONALD.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that it is our intention to apply to the Licensing Court in and for the City of Victoria at its next sittings for a transfer to James Munger of the city of Victoria, of the retail liquor license held by us for the premises situate at the north east corner of Yates and Broad streets, in the city of Victoria, on portion of city lot number four hundred and twenty three and known as the Mirror saloon.

Dated the 5th day of May, 1892.

JAMES MUNGER.
A. G. BLACK.

may5-1m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made to the Board of Licensing Commissioners, sitting as a licensing court, at its next sitting, for a transfer of the license to sell wines and other liquors on the premises known as the London Hotel, situated on Lot 424, Block 2, City of Victoria, B.C., from Charles John Phillips per W. J. Phillips administrator, with the will annexed, to Charles Frederick Jackson.

W. J. PHILLIPS,
Administrator with the will annexed of Charles John Phillips, deceased.

Witness:—
E. M. ROSENTHAL.
Victoria, B.C., May 3rd, 1892. my4-1m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made to the Licensing Court at its next sitting for a transfer to Thomas Garvin of my license to sell liquors by retail on the premises situated on the east side of Government street, between Yates street and Trounce avenue in the City of Victoria, on portion of City lot Number 165 and known as the Nickel Plate Saloon.

Dated the second day of April, 1892.

ARTHUR FOX.

my2-1m

**To the Board of License Commissioners of the City of Victoria:**

TAKE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Board of License Commissioners at their next sitting for a transfer of my license of the Market Exchange Hotel, 99 Fort street, to Joseph T. Pearce.

T. F. SINCLAIR.

may5-1m

**To the Board of Licensing Comisioners :**

I THE UNDERSIGNED, Charles Frank Collins of "The Turner" Douglas street, in the city of Victoria, hereby give notice that it is my intention to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners to be held on Wednesday, the 8th day of June next, for a license to sell wines, spirits, beer, and other fermented and intoxicating liquor by retail in a certain building used or intended to be used for a hotel and containing upwards of 30 rooms and which said building is known as "The Turner" and is situate and built on lot 419, block 13, in the city of Victoria at the corner of Douglas and View streets in the said city of Victoria.

Dated this 5th day of May, 1892.

CHARLES FRANK COLLINS.

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Victoria, 9th May, 1892. my9 6t

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between James Munger and Alexander G. Black trading under the style or firm name of Munger & Black at the Mirror saloon, Victoria, as saloon keepers, has been dissolved by mutual consent as from the 5th day of May, 1892. James Munger assumes all the assets and liabilities of the late firm.

Victoria, 5th May, 1892.

JAMES MUNGER,
A. G. BLACK.

Witness: William Duck. may5-10t

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE PARTNERSHIP hitherto existing between James D. Hall and Skene Lowe, carrying on business as photographers in the city of Victoria, under the firm name of Hall & Lowe, and in the city of Vancouver under the firm name of "The Vancouver Photo Company," has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

Dated the 30th day of April, A.D., 1892.

JAMES D. HALL.
SKENE LOWE.

Witness:
W. H. LANGLEY,
Notary Public.

The business of Hall & Lowe will henceforth be carried on by Mr. Lowe, and that of The Vancouver Photo Company by Mr. Hall.

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DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE PARTNERSHIP hitherto existing between Messrs. Berryman and Andrews, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. R. H. Berryman will continue the business, known as the Occidental Hotel, and will pay all bills owed by the above named firm. All those indebted to the house will please pay the same to R. H. Berryman.

Victoria, May 2, 1892.

R. H. BERRYMAN
R. C. ANDREWS

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NOTICE.

Mr. Frank Hacis is no longer in the employ of the Pacific Asphalt Company. Parties requiring work done, will please apply at the office of the company, 20 Broad street.

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## LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

I WILLIAM SOMERVILLE, of the city of Victoria, hereby give notice that I intend to apply, at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the transfer to Andrew Rusta of the license now held by me to sell liquor by retail at the corner of Store and Discovery streets, in the said city.

May 7th, 1892.

WILLIAM SOMMERVILLE.

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NOT RESPONSIBLE.

Bark Lizzie Bell, from Liverpool.

NEITHER CAPTAIN D. LEWIS NOR THE undersigned will be responsible for the debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I, the undersigned Frederick William Garland, intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria at the next sitting of the Board to be held on Wednesday the 8th day of June next, for a license to sell and supply beer, porter and wines by retail with meals and not otherwise, at the restaurant intended to be called "The Belmoral Restaurant," situate on the north side of Douglas street in the said city, upon part of City Lot No. 410, Block 14, and being part of the Kirk Block in the said city.

F. W. GARLAND.

Dated 6th May, 1892. my10

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to apply, at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the city of Victoria, for the transfer of the license to sell intoxicating liquors by retail, held by me for the premises situate on the corner of Store and Discovery streets, Victoria, known as the Western Hotel, to George Walker, of Victoria.

Dated at Victoria, 2nd May, 1892.

A. C. McALPINE.

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## TWO METHODIST CONFERENCES.

**Reminiscences of Moral and Intellectual Giants Who Used to Stir the People's Hearts.**

**Representation by Women is the Burning Question Now Agitating the Methodist Church.**

On or about the 18th of May, 1868, I reached Chicago as a delegate from southern Indiana to the soldiers and sailors' convention, and as soon as my slight duty to that meeting was done I hastened to take a look at the Methodist quadrennial conference. I am not able to convey to the young reader of today

BISHOP SIMPSON.

any idea of the feeling—a compound of awe and affection, curiosity and reverence—with which I looked on that remarkable body of men.

A boy reared in the church and accustomed from infancy to look on John and Charles Wesley as inferior only to St. Paul and St. John, and to regard Bishop Simpson as the model of piety, patriotism and eloquence, does not outgrow his impressions in the first seven years of manhood. It so happened that my entrance on the rights of manhood was contemporary with the beginning of the civil war, and so the events of the next few years had raised my feelings toward Bishop Simpson to a degree near akin to personal idolatry. Even now I smile and blush alternately when I remember how I walked many miles to Evansville to hear him lecture, and yet I feel bound to assert that in the subsequent twenty-seven years I have not made any investment in the lecture line that paid me better.

Twenty years after my first view of one it was my privilege to listen to the proceedings of another Methodist quadrennial conference, in New York city this time; and now it is the deliberate judgment of the man that the enthusiasm of the boy of 1855-65 was not overstrained, for verily there were moral giants in the west in those days. I have heard many great orators, but I have yet to hear the man who could stir the hearts of the common people more than old Richard Hargrave. I have listened to logical and scholarly expositions of the Gospel, but for a plain and practical setting forth of the whole duty of man I have heard none to exceed that of Elder Aaron Wood, of the Northwest Indiana conference. The active service of the famous Peter Cartwright and J. B. Finley was over, but the flavor of their good works still lingered among us, and the announcement that either of them would be present, health and strength permitting, at a future meeting was sufficient to rouse a fierce enthusiasm among our elders.

To one who had been all that time out of the current it seemed an odd and slightly amusing fact that while in 1868 lay representation was the great issue, in 1888 woman representation led all other topics; albeit, the former was much farther advanced in 1868 than the latter in 1888, or in 1892 for that matter. And while I listened to the scholarly and conservative remarks of Dr. J. M. Buckley I saw that this contrast was a fair index of the progress of the United States in the last thirty years. In 1860 and somewhat later voting was universally regarded as a privilege; in 1888 as a right. Then the advocate had to show cause; now the burden of proof is on the opposition. Nevertheless the church, at a greater interval, has followed exactly the same line as the body politic. Delegates' rights have been rapidly extended till all adult males are eligible, and there, so far as the unpracticed layman's eye can see, it has stopped for a very long time, if not forever. It

PETER CARTWRIGHT.

needs but a glance to see that in the civil organization the widening of the suffrage reached its maximum in 1970, and that since that time more men have been disfranchised on one pretext or another than have been enfranchised, and it is not easy to prove that the reaction has not had some effect in the church.

At the time I wondered why the quadrennial conference of 1868 did not attract more attention, but I think I understand it now. Never since Sumter was fired on had there been a time of such intense excitement, particularly in the west, as the first three weeks of May, 1868. First there was the impeachment trial of President Johnson, which shook the very foundations of society. Churches were divided, old friendships were sundered, business partnerships were broken, and in some sections there were defiant threats of civil war. Such old and tried and true Unionists as Fessenden of Maine, Trumbull of Illinois and Grimes of Iowa were denounced as three shades blacker than Benedict Arnold and a little meaner than Judas, while the comparatively obscure Ross of Kansas was openly threatened with violence, and advised to follow the example of his predecessor and put a pistol to his head. If any reader thinks I exaggerate, let him glance at the New York Tribune of those days. Its editorials now read as if they were dictated in a madhouse.

At the same time local conventions were being held to select delegates to the national Republican convention. It went without discussion that Grant was to be named for president, so all the heat and fury of the contest raged around the vice presidency. Grant being credited to Illinois, the east very naturally claimed the second place on the ticket, but the central west had set its heart on Schuyler Colfax, and in the range of my movements at that time in Indiana a bare suggestion of any other candidate was resented as a sort of local treason. In short, I am sure I do not exaggerate in saying that the very air of our section was overcharged with superheated political ozone.

And in the midst of all this excitement a grave body of Methodist elders met in Chicago, and undisturbed by the fierce party warfare raging all around them, discussed and arranged the affairs of the church with an eloquence and ability which then aroused my enthusiasm and now demands my profound admiration and respect.

How different was the situation in 1888. The country had learned to take its politics temperately. Slavery was a sort of historic nightmare; reconstruction a fever, bearing much the same relation to national life as the diseases of childhood do to the life of a vigorous man. The age of high heroics and flaming oratory about the war, the flag and the "eagle" had passed; the age of the calculator and political economist had come. The most exciting issue of the day turned on a difference of a few cents in the tariff. But sin and misery remained as ever appalling facts, moral accountability and retribution were as real as ever to the Methodists of 1888, and while they discussed methods of work and the civil polity of the church the curious spectator could not but contrast the two conferences—twenty years apart.

It was apparent at a glance that the veterans of 1850-70 were gone. The eloquent tones of Bishop Simpson, heard for almost exactly fifty years in the Methodist pulpit, were silenced for this world in 1884, soon after he closed the conference of that year. The Metho-

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dists have their proper place for him, but to the boys of Indiana, forty years ago, he is still the loved president of Asbury (De Pauw) university, and to the soldiers he is still the friend and supporter of Abraham Lincoln. Peter Cartwright was already so much a veteran in 1860 that it was accounted a privilege to see and hear him, yet he lived till 1872, dying at eighty-seven. Of the elders and revivalists who made western camp meetings lively in 1850 and thereabouts there was not one.

To the western man of the early days, however, there was a suggestion of the humorous in seeing in the list of delegates such names as Will Cumback, Amos Shinkle, John W. Ray, J. C. Ridpath and Newland De Pauw. Their presence, however, was a living proof that since 1868 lay representation had become a very much accomplished fact. And it was calculated to raise a smile in the same observer to hear on the very first day a notice of protest read against the admission as delegates of Amanda C. Rippey of Kansas, Mary C. Nind of Minnesota, Angie F. Newman of Nebraska, Lizzie D. Van Kirk of Pennsylvania and Frances E. Willard of Illinois. The woman question was up at the very start, and it remained the big issue through most of the conference.

Bishop Simpson, who made the closing address in 1884; Bishop Wiley, who offered the closing prayer, and Bishop Harris, who read the closing hymn, had passed away; but Bishop Thomas Bowman, in the fiftieth year of his work as a minister and sixteen years a bishop, called the conference to order. When the reports were read, the observer was again reminded of the fallibility of the prophets of twenty years before. For some time after the close of the war predictions were abundant that a general demoralization would ensue, and for some reason I never could make out it was taken for granted that the Methodist church would suffer most. In truth the denomination had never passed two more prosperous decades. And as the conference of 1892 is soon to give us the latest figures, it only remains for this observer to add that, so far as the layman's eye can see, Methodism is now in the full vigor of youth, going forward in its work with all the advantages of experience and improved organization and with no loss of enthusiasm.

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## SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

**Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World, Here and Elsewhere.**

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A well-known professional oarsman of the city said last night, in conversation with a member of the TIMES staff, that in the event of the Peterson-MacLean race taking place at Shawnigan Lake, as has been rumored, the winner will find another match without leaving the city. Several good local men, who consider themselves far better than MacLean, would like to have a tilt with the San Francisco champion, if suitable terms can be arranged. Peterson is very particular about his opponents, and in professional ranks much surprise is expressed that he should trouble himself with unknowns like MacLean. As the trouble has been well paid for, however, out of poor Mac's pocket, the Californian's pride has no doubt quite recovered from the shock. The professional oarsman referred to above said that MacLean had no more chance against Peterson (conditions fair for both), than a greenhorn who had never rowed in a sliding seat would have.

"MacLean evidently wants to retire from the rowing ranks as one of the best-beaten men on record, but he is going about it in an expensive way, to my thinking," said the oarsman. "You know, there are some people who would pay a thousand dollars to be knocked down and licked by a duke or an earl; poor Mac seems to be in the same case; he wants to be kicked by a real good man and he'll die happy. I should have thought that awful expose Peterson made of him last summer on the Fraser would have sickened him completely."

"You don't think much of the Fraser man then?"

"Oh yes, I do. In his own class he's a very good man. I believe Mac is good to hold down any 145 pound man on the coast; all I say is, he makes himself look foolish running up against such a son of Anak as Peterson. Muirhead will be here in a day or two and will make all the necessary arrangements to bleed MacLean several hundred dollars' worth more, for value received, namely, the glory of being whipped hollow by Harry Peterson."

CHALLENGES GALORE.

TORONTO, May 10.—Hanlan has issued a challenge to MacLean, of British Columbia to row him two three-mile races some time in August, both to take place in British Columbia, the first to be in a twenty-foot skiff, MacLean to be given 100 yards start; second, Hanlan in a racing shell, MacLean in a skiff, the latter being given 600 yards staet.

William O'Connor, the oarsman, publishes a challenge offering to row John Teemer at any time, for any sum and at any distance. Hanlan and O'Connor also publish the following card:—"We herewith make James Stanbury, Australia, the following offer. We will allow him $1000 to come to America to row one or more races for $2500 a side, or will allow him and a partner $1500 for expenses to cross the Pacific to row us severally a single scull race and jointly a double scull race, each of the three contests for $2000 a side and three miles with turn.

The big double scull race between Hanlan and O'Connor and Hosmer and Teemer, at Pullman, on May 30, has been declared off.

EVERYTHING COMING.

A special meeting of the executive council of the James Bay Athletic Club was held in the committee room of that institution last evening. A large amount of important business was transacted, the following gentlemen being duly elected as members: E. E. Billinghurst, F. Higgins, G. H. Barnard, W. A. Lawson, J. H. Austin, W. E. Dowler, Ven. Archdeacon Scriven, T. S. Gore, J. B. H. Rickerby, Max Heap, H. B. Rogers, C. M. Page, W. A. Ward, J. B. Foulkes, O. C. Bass, A. W. Salmon and J. M. McLeod. It was decided to apply for enrolment in the Northwest Association of Amateur Oarsmen. The following clubs were invited to be present at the celebration on the 24th, and to make the clubhouse their headquarters while here: New Westminster, Vancouver, Portland, Seattle, Tacoma, Willamette, and Port Townsend. The regatta committee were instructed to name Commander Jones, of H.M.S. Melpomene, as official starter of all the amateur races on the day of the regatta. Much satisfaction was expressed at the flourishing condition of the club and the pleasing prospects for the future. The club is on a sound financial basis, and under the present management is bound to succeed.

IN GOOD HANDS.

The James Bay Athletic Club will have full control and management of all the amateur events at the regatta, sports and games to be held during the celebration of the Queen's Birthday. It is superfluous to remark that these will be conducted in a proper sportsmanlike manner, to the satisfaction of the contestants and the public. The taking over of these onerous duties also relieves the committee of a serious task, leaving them ample time to attend to the thousand and one duties which crowd upon them

LEMONADE IN THE SHADE.

The honorary secretary of the sports and games committee, Mr. Beaumont Boggs, is calling for tenders for the privilege of selling refreshments on Mr. Yates property on the Gorge during the 24th of May celebration. The spot mentioned is one of the most suitable on the Arm for attending to the wants of the inner man; the person who succeeds in securing the privilege is certain to do a roaring business.

WHEELING.

The fine new club room placed at the disposal of the Island Wanderers Cycling Club by the courtesy of Messrs. Kerr & Begg, was put to use for the purpose intended for the first time last night. There was a very good meeting of most of the members, and no time time was wasted in getting to business. The following gentlemen were appointed for duty on the 24th of May: Mr. J. E. Wilson, judge; Mr. C. A. Godson, referee; Mr. W. Christie, starter; Messrs. Patterson, Christie and Edwards, timekeepers; Chief Sheppard, clerk of the course. Mr. C. A. Godson was nominated for Chief Consul C.N.A. district 10 of British Columbia. The club, it was decided, will hold, every fortnight during the summer, a series of club handicaps, for distances of one and two miles. The three competitors making the largest number of points during the season will win the championship medals.

CRICKET.

CLUB IN SAANICH.

At a meeting held in North Saanich on 29th April, at Messrs. Brackman & Ker's store, Rev. F. G. Christmas in the chair, it was decided to form a cricket club in the district. The following office bearers and committee were elected: President, Mr. Walter Collins; vice-president, Mr. Breeds; treasurer, Mr. John Newbigging; secretary, Mr. John Caven. General committee, Mr. Henry Downey, Rev. F. G. Christmas, Mr. J. H. McIlmoyl, Mr. James John, Mr. W. Wain, Mr. Robert James, Mr. A. McDonald. Mr. McDonald has kindly consented to allow the club the use of one of his fields.

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